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CHARGE OF LIBEL AGAINST PENTON

Preferred by Minnesota Congressman on Account of Editorials.

MARINE LEAGUE SECRETARY

Arrested When He Appeared Before "Ship Subsidy Lobby," Inquiry in Congress—Steenerson and McCleary Clash.

Washington, April 5.—The arrest of John A. Penton, of Cleveland, O., secretary of the Merchant Marine League, for criminal libel against Representative Steenerson, of Minnesota, followed his appearance as a witness today before the "ship subsidy lobby" inquiry.

Penton accompanied the detectives to the district attorney's office and was released after depositing $500 cash bail. The arrest was made on a secret indictment returned March 30, based on an editorial which appeared on December 1st last in the "American Flag", the official organ of the Merchant Marine League.

The alleged libellous statement, according to the indictment, appeared under the heading, "Steenerson Soon to Have a Chance," and read as follows:

"If Congressman Steenerson has any real solicitude for American labor, if he is in truth not throwing dust in the eyes of his constituents by declaiming against coolie labor, he will soon have an opportunity to show his sincerity. If he desires to supplant coolie labor with American labor, he may follow President Taft and the loyal members of the Minnesota Congressional delegation and vote for such legislation in the next Congress as will effectually do away with coolie labor on American ships doing American business."

Continuing under a sub-head "What Manner of Man Is This?" the alleged libelous article reads:

"Is a man fit to hold public office that will deliberately pervert and maliciously falsify the facts connected with any important public question? Is he a safe—a trustworthy man—we hold that he is not—that such a man is dishonest and an enemy to his country and his country's best interests and that he and men like him are constant menaces to American progress at home and abroad. There are not many such in Congress, but there will always be found a few and the ninth district of Minnesota has one."

Mr. Penton asked the House Investigating Committee today to postpone his examination until he could obtain counsel from Cleveland. He identified a number of his letters, submitted by Mr. Steenerson and admitted some of them were "unfortunate in their language", although he said the language assumed responsibility for them. These epistles constituted a portion of Mr. Steenerson's original charge of an attempt to intimidate him in supporting ship subsidy. Mr. Penton also told the committee that the November issue of the "American Flag", which had been offensive to members of the House, had been destroyed and the publication of the paper had been discontinued.

The committee will consider Mr. Penton's request in executive session.

At the hearing today Mr. Steenerson caused a stir when he inquired of James T. McCleary, of Minnesota, formerly a member of the House and formerly second assistant postmaster general, who was also a witness, if he had not used his privilege to the floor of the House to urge members to support ship subsidy.

Mr. McCleary indignantly denied the charge. "I do not say", said Mr. McCleary, "that I never talked about our merchant marine to members of the House, but I certainly was not active in behalf of legislation."

"Did anyone tell you that you should not talk ship subsidy on the floor of the House?" asked Mr. Steenerson.

"I think some member made a suggestion, which amounted to that," replied Mr. McCleary.

"Isn't it a fact?" continued Mr. Steenerson, "that a member of the House would not sign a petition you were circulating, asking that you be appointed director of the mint, because you were lobbying for ship subsidy?"

"The man who declined to sign that petition did not have courage enough to state it that way, and you are the man", hotly retorted Mr. McCleary.

Mr. McCleary admitted that he had delivered a number of addresses on the subject of ship subsidy for which he was paid expense money by the Merchant Marine League of the United States. Once he received $100 for a trip to New Orleans and Birmingham. He said he knew nothing about a paid lobby for ship subsidy.

Atlanta, Ga., April 5.—B. R. Strickland, a farmer of Quitman, Ga., accompanied by his six children, is a patient of the State Board of Health here. The entire family was bitten by a dog believed to be afflicted with rabies.

Nashville, Tenn., April 5.—Dr. J. Y. Crawford, the only Southern man who was ever president of the American Dentral Association, died at his home here this afternoon, aged 63.

ANTI-OPTION BILL AIMED AT FUTURES

New Measure Introduced in House Applying Solely to Cotton.

RESEMBLES OLD SCOTT BILL

Does Not Deal With Grain and Produce Exchanges—Chairman Scott Explains Features. Goes to the House.

Washington, April 5.—A sweeping anti-option bill, the product of exhaustive investigation by the House Committee on Agriculture and of three weeks' executive deliberation by a sub-committee, restricting the operation of the proposed legislation to cotton instead of applying to all farm products, was introduced in the House today. It was framed by the sub-committee and introduced by Chairman Scott, of the full committee. The House probably will consider it tomorrow.

The new bill follows substantially the lines of the old Scott bill, the principal change being in the elimination of application to the grain exchanges.

"This change" said Senator Scott, "was made partly because the committee reached the conclusion that there are fewer abuses on the grain and produce exchanges than on the cotton exchanges, but chiefly because practically all the cotton producers and a very large proportion of the cotton spinners and merchants have united in demanding the legislation. The committee realizes also that legislation which goes into a new field as this does and which is necessarily more or less of an experiment, may be tried more successfully if restricted to a single product than if broadened out so as to cover a large number of products."

The bill as agreed on by the sub-committee, makes it unlawful for any person to send a message over telegraph or telephone lines by wireless or cable or through the mails, offering to make or enter into a contract for the purchase or sale of cotton for future delivery without intending that such cotton shall be actually delivered or received. The penalty prescribed is a fine of from $100 to $1,000 and imprisonment from one to six months. Each message constitutes a separate offense.

Bona fide owners or growers of cotton may use telephone or telegraph lines for transmitting information relating to contracts for future delivery by making proper affidavits. In the view of the sub-committee this makes legitimate trading safe and free.

Provision also is made for blanket affidavits, covering messages to be sent during a period of six months. The purpose of this is to avoid undue multiplicity of affidavits. But any person making a false statement in such affidavits is made subject to a fine from $1,000 to $5,000 and imprisonment of from one to two years.

Proof of failure to make the affidavits required under the law will be regarded as prima facie evidence that the messages sent related to forbidden matters.

Failure to deliver or receive cotton contracted for would be held, under the new law, to be prima facie evidence that there was no intent to deliver or receive.

The bill also makes it unlawful for telegraph, telephone or wireless companies to knowingly transmit prohibited messages.

BROOKLYN BANK CLOSED.

President of Institution Explains Causes—Has Seven Branches.

New York, April 5.—The Union Bank, of Brooklyn, a State institution, with seven branches in various parts of Brooklyn Borough, closed its doors today and was taken in charge by the State Banking Department.

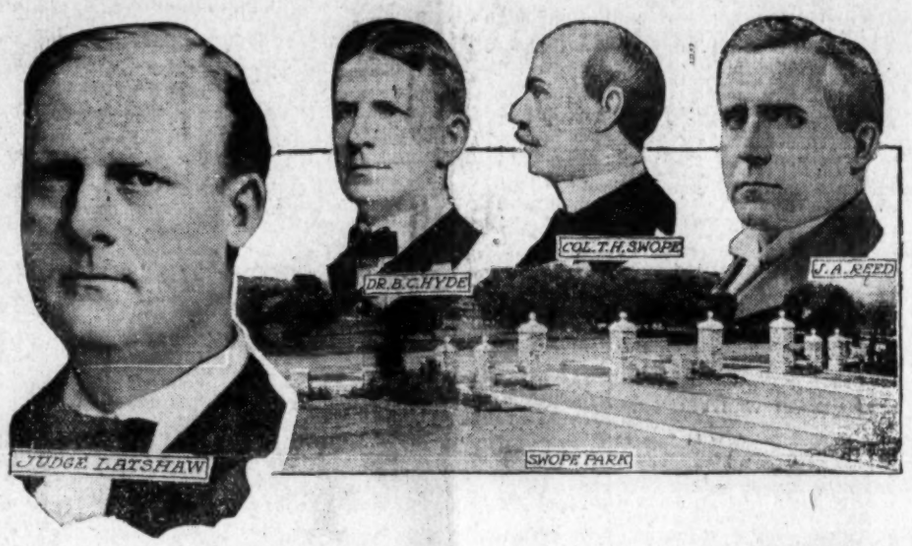
Edward M. Grout, former comptroller of New York City, is president of the institution, which has a capital of $1,000,000, and deposits, according to its last report of more than $6,000,000. Inability to realize upon assets in time to meet the demands of the bank's business is assigned by President Grout as the reason for the closing.

The bank was organized in 1908 and took over the business of the Mechanics' & Traders' Bank, which closed during the 1907 financial panic. Causes which antedated the present management and were beyond its control made it impossible to re-establish the bank. President Grout declared in a statement today. He added his belief that the assets were ample to pay depositors in full.

It is not believed that the closing of the Union Bank will adversely affect any other financial institutions. Its difficulties were internal and related to its affairs alone, it is officially declared.

Roanoke, Va., April 5.—Professor Hugh S. Worthington associate in modern languages at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, has tendered his resignation as a member of the faculty of the college to take effect next June. Professor Worthington has accepted a position as professor of modern language at Sweetbriar Institute this State.

Swope Park and Principals in Kansas City's Famous Murder Trial



Kansas City, April 5.—The trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, accused of the murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, will begin April 11th. Dr. Hyde has been at liberty under $100,000 bail. The case will be tried before Judge R. S. Lathshaw, and the representatives of Colonel Swope's estate have engaged the best legal talent that money could secure, while Dr. Hyde with his wife's and his own fortune have scoured Missouri for lawyers famous for their ability. The trial promises to be one of the most sensational ever tried in this country. While Dr. Hyde will be tried for the murder of Colonel Swope, who was many times a millionaire and gave Swope park to this city, he has been accused of causing the death of Christian Swope and the serious illness of other members of the Swope family. Dr. Hyde was indicted by the grand jury for administering typhoid fever germs to Colonel Swope.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Twenty-Seventh Annual Convention in Session at Wilson—Workers From All Over North Carolina State.

Wilson, N. C., April 5.—The 27th annual convention of the North Carolina Sunday School Association assembled in Wilson today. The gates of the city are thrown wide open and all feel that the words on the banner, which stretches across the streets, reading, 'Welcome North Carolina Sunday School Convention," are meant for them. And such is the case, for the delegates have the keys to the city and to the hearts of the residents and they are at liberty to do as they wish.

The first session of the convention opened this afternoon in the Methodist church and was presided over by Mr. Elijan Moffitt, of Asheboro. After praise service by Mr. I. H. Meredith and Mr. G. C. Fuller, of New York, who have charge of the music, Hon. O. P. Dickinson delivered the address of welcome to the delegates. It was responded to by Rev. H. M. North, of Raleigh. The convention then began its formal work when Chairman Moffitt delivered an able address upon "The True Mission of the Sunday School." The executive committee then entered into deliberations and the convention took a recess. There were two night sessions, one at the Methodist and the other in the First Baptist churches. At the Methodist church the President presided. The deliberations in the Baptist caurch were presided over by Mr. J. D. Bardin, vice president of the Association. Both churches were packed and the services were highly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. J. Van Carter, of Louisiana, the new general secretary of the Association, made his first appearance and was cordially welcomed.

From 10 to 11 o'clock Wednesday night a social hour will be held by the Baracas and Philatneas in the Christian church.

TAFT MAKES STATEMENT.

Says State Elections Will Not Influence Political Appointments.

Washington, April 5.—State elections are not to be influenced by political appointments made from the White House, if President Taft can prevent it. He showed this today when he refused to decide a controversy which will have some influence on the coming elections in West Virginia. The following statement was issued at the White House in regard to the matter:

"The President has concluded not to decide the issue between the Senators from West Virginia and Congressman Hubbard in respect to the postmasters at Fairmont and Clarksburg, until after the Senatorial controversy has been settled, in order to avoid seeming to take part in the controversy."

EDDY FAY AND HARRIS

Will be Arraigned For Alleged Robbery in Richmond Today.

New York, April 5.—United States District Attorney Lunsford Lewis, of Richmond, Va., arrived here today to attend the arraignment tomorrow between U. S. Commissioner Shields of Eddie Fay, and Dick Harris, charged with robbing the Richmond postoffice of more than $80,000 in stamps and money recently. They were captured after a fight with officers and all, but $12,000 of the loot was recovered in their trunks.

Certified copies of the indictments against Fay and Harris were brought by Lewis and he conferred with United States District Attorney Wise about the case today. It is expected the prisoners will fight extradition.

SCOTTISH CLANS FOREGATHER

Scottish Society of America Formed Yesterday at Meeting at Red Springs, N. C.—Three States Represented—Subsidiaries.

Red Springs, N. C., April 5.—Over a hundred loyal sons and daughters of Scotland, representing North and South Carolina and Virginia, probably half of the number native born, met here at noon today and organized the Scottish Society of America. By the terms of the charter only native born Scotchmen and those of direct descent are eligible to membership and it is the purpose of the parent organization to form local societies in every State. The first regular meeting will be held at Red Springs May 18th. The following officers were elected:

President—A. D. McGill, Rock Fish, N. C.

Vice Presidents—D. P. McEachern, Red Springs; Proctor McRae, Dillon, S. C.; E. F. McRae, Maxton, N. C.; Neil McEachern, Wilmington, N. C.

Secretary and Treasurer—B. L. McBryde, Fayetteville, N. C.

An executive committee of ten to carry out the work of organizing subsidiary societies was also chosen.

NEGROES LYNCH NEGROES.

Overpowered Sheriff at Keo, Ark., and Killed Two Prisoners.

Keo, Ark., April 5.—A mob composed entirely of negroes overpowered Constable Mallory of Keo, four miles north of here, last night, seized his two prisoners, both negroes, one a woman, and shot them to death, after which their bodies were strung up. The victims were charged with killing the husband of the woman and wife of the man.

Richmond, Va., April 5.—William Cameron, widely known as a manufacturer of tobacco, fell dead after he ate breakfast in the Westmoreland Club today.

Richmond, Va., April 5.—The National Electrical Jobbers' Association met here today for a session of several days. Several hundred persons are in attendance on the convention.

OUTLINES.

Former President Roosevelt has called off a reception to the American colony for today on account of the attempt of the Methodist organization in Rome to interpret his action in the Vatican episode as endorsing their work. The Ex-President was again the guest of the King yesterday——John A. Penton, of Cleveland, Ohio, was arrested yesterday at the "ship subsidy lobby,' inquiry on the charge of criminal libel perferred by Representative Steenerson, of Minnesota——A new anti-option bill aimed solely at cotton exchanges was introduced in the House yesterday by Chairman Scott, of the Agricultural Committee. Other exchanges are not mentioned in the new bill——The prosecutor in the Pittsburg graft scandal stated yesterday that the names of the men "higher up" who gave big bribes will be exposed by the grand jury today——New York markets: Money on call steady 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 2 7-8; spot cotton closed 20 points decline, middling uplands 14.55, middling gulf 14.80; flour quiet and nominally lower; wheat spot dull No. 2 red 1.23 and No. 1 northern 1.23 1-2 nominal f. o. b. opening navigation; corn spot steady, steamer 62 1-2 and No. 4, 60 both asked elevator export basis; oats spot quiet, mixed nominal; turpentine firm, rosin steady.

DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Knitting Mill Chartered—State Pure Food Law—Educational Party Off—Academy of Music Suit—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5th.—The North Carolina Hosiery Co., of Cooleemee, was chartered today with $100,000 capital authorized and one share of stock each subscribed by C. D. Lefler, J. M. Granger and C. P. Dradwin for organization purposes. The company is to do a general knitting mill business.

Col. J. A. Barringer, of Greensboro, spent some time today in conference with Gov. Kitchin with reference to a pardon the Col. is seeking for Will Bason, who is serving 12 months in Guilford on the charge of getting goods under false pretense. The plea for the pardon is ill health. The county authorities ask for the pardon to relieve the county of the burden of taking care of the prisoner.

W. M. Allen, state pure food chemist, went today to Washington for a conference with the pure food division of the United States Department of Agriculture, with reference to a number of matters bearing on co-operation of the State and Federal pure food inspectors. It is understood that there is a considerable "kink" in the attitude of the United States Department as to the enforcement of the law against the bleaching of flour, and this will be one of the most important matters to be considered in the Washington conference.

That the present prospect for fruit yield in North Carolina is exceptionally good is the key-note of a special bulletin just issued from the Department of Agriculture by State Entomologist Franklin Sherman, this condition applying to every part of the State.

North Carolina will be well represented at the thirteenth annual Conference of Education in the South which convenes tomorrow at Little Rock, Ark., the party comprising State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner, C. L. Brogden, President D. H. Hill and Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Stevens, of the A. & M. College; President Chas. F. Maserve, Shaw University; Editor C. H. Poe, Progressive Farmer; President J. I. Foust, State Normal, Greensboro; Prof. J. L. Foust, Guilford; President Howard Rondthaler, Salem Academy, and oth ser. , vMfi cmpyvfbgwk and others.

An order is made by Gov. Kitchin for a special term of court Beaufort county for civil and criminal cases to continue one week from May 9th, Judge Ferguson presiding.

An order has been made in the Superior Court by Judge O. H. Allen allowing Mayor J. S. Wynne and Chief of Police Stell 30 days in which to file their answers in the suits brought by J. Sherwood Upchurch, and W. H. Brewer, respectively manager and assistant manger of the Academy of Music, for damages in that they were ejected by the police from the Academy on the occasion of the refusal of Mayor Wynne to permit The Girl from Rector's to fill an engagement at the Academy.

Washington, April 5.—Theodore Roosevelt and every other ex-President of the future will be entitled to send all mail free of postage if a bill favorably reported by the House Committee on Postoffices today becomes a law. The franking privilege is also extended to the widows of former Presidents. The only requirement is the placing of autographic signatures on the exterior of the communication.

Lexington, Ky., April 5.—Clinton Alexander Taft, a distant relative of President Taft, died here early today aged 58 years.

BANDITS INVADE A VILLAGE BANK

Two Men Killed and Possibly Third Will Die at McKee's Rocks.

SCENE NEAR PITTSBURG, PA.

Four Desperadoes Fled With $400 Cash Covering Retreat With Volley of Revolver Shots—Wild West Fashion.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 5.—A bank robbery with wild West features was pulled off by four desperadoes in McKee's Rocks tonight, with the slaying of two men and the possibly fatal shooting of another. The robbers themselves, covering their escape with volleys of revolver shots, got safely away with at least $400 in cash from the offices of the Victor Banking Company.

Samuel Friedman, general manager of the company, was killed, his assistant, Isaac Schwartz, who was dangerously wounded in the head, died on the operating table while the surgeons were probing for the bullet which penetrated his brain, and Robert King, a passerby, was seriously shot in the groin. The latter is in McKee's Rocks hospital.

Friendman and Schwartz were alone in the bank, which does a foreign exchange business on the outskirts of McKee's Rocks, counting the day's cash which was spread upon the counter when four foreigners invaded the place with guns. Friedman was shot twice while one of the men scooped up the money, but as they escaped the wounded Friedman followed them, shouting for help, only to fall with another volley from the robbers. A policeman's face which appeared around the corner just at the moment was grazed with a bullet.

The scene of the robbery is near the Ohio river close to where the "Bloody Sunday" riots of the Pressed Steel Car Company's strike took place in which many were killed and wounded.

With the exception of the lone officer who appeared at the corner as the bandits dashed away, there were no police involved and no witnesses of the robbery. It occurred about 9 o'clock the hour at which the bank usually closes. It is believed that Friedman was armed and returned the robbers' fire for he apparently tried to dash after them, but no revolver was found by his body. Schwartz fell by the counter and was unconscious thereafter. King, who is a railroad man was just leaving Green's Hotel nearby when one of the fleeing bandits turned for a last shot at the policeman. Instead of hitting the officer, it felled King. He may recover.

Both Friedman and Schwartz were about 30 years old and neither was a married man.

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS WIN.

Sweep Milwaukee by Largest Plurality in History of City.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 5.—Social Democrats, led by Emil Seidel, candidate for mayor, swept Milwaukee in the municipal election today by approximately 8,000 votes, the largest plurality of any party in a similar contest in the history of the city. The Social Democrats will control the common council, having elected all six aldermen at large and carried 11 wards out of 23.

V. J. Schoenecker, Jr., Democrat, who ran second was about 8,000 ahead of Dr. J. M. Befael, Republican.

The platforms of all three parties were similar. They advocated home rule, initiative and referendum and regulation of the liquor traffic.

Victor L. Berger, a leading Social Democrat, was elected alderman at large. Mr. Berger said of the election: "All I have to say at this time is that the party will give Milwaukee the best administration it ever had or that any citizen ever had. A square deal for everybody will be our aim."

COMES TO NEWBERN CHURCH.

Atlanta Pastor Leaves Because Deacons Advertised Fight.

Atlanta, Ga., April 5.—Rev. Allen C. Shuler, pastor of the Western Heights Baptist Church, has resigned and will accept a call to Newbern, N. C.

A week ago two deacons of his church advertised that they would put on a prize fight in the pulpit of the church before services. When the time came they confessed that they had made the announcement merely to draw a crowd. He maintains that not only was the prize fight idea not in keeping with a church, but that the fact that the announcement was a fake was not honest.

ATLANTIC FLEET MANEUVERS

Gunnery Record Practice Began Yesterday Off Virginia Coast.

Norfolk, Va., April 5.—The vessels of the Atlantic battleship fleet today began their tactical maneuvres and gunnery record practice on the Southern drill grounds off the Virginia Capes. A haze formation over the ocean today interfered materially with the evolutions which are to precede gunnery work. The fleet will return to Hampton Roads for each of the week ends until the completion of the maneuvres probably six weeks hence.

ROOSEVELT CALLS OFF A RECEPTION

Action of Church in Rome Causes Him Not to Receive Americans.

RESULT OF VATICAN EPISODE

Ex-President's Action Prompted by Statement of Rev. Tipple Arraigning the Catholic Church—Visits King Again.

Rome, April 5.—The chief material development in the Roosevelt-Vatican incident today was Mr. Roosevelt's repudiation of an attempt of the Methodist organization here to interpret his action as an endorsement of their work. This repudiation took the form of calling off a reception to the members of the American colony, which was to have been held tomorrow night at the embassy, and it resulted directly from the issuance of a statement yesterday by the Rev. B. M. Tipple, pastor of the American Methodist church, in which he severely arraigned the Roman Catholic church.

Mr. Roosevelt deprecates in the most vigorous fashion the fierce religious tumult caused by the incident which he regards as personal to himself, and continues entirely confident that his countrymen, Catholic as well as Protestant, will be satisfied when the facts in the case is clearly and dispassionately examined, will sustain his position.

When the Vatican statement, likening the situation to what might occur in Germany, if he visited the Polish Separationists after seeing the Emperor, was called to Mr. Roosevelts attention, he said:

"If the German Emperor should place as a condition to an audience that I should not see the Poles, I should make a similar reply, 'Upon that condition I shall be compelled to forego the pleasure of an audience'."

A phase of the situation which is attracting more and more attention here is the open disapproval of the Vatican's action expressed by numerous Catholics. This is not confined to laymen but extends to the hierarchy, and even to the sacred college itself. Some of the Cardinals have privately expressed dissent from action which places the church in a position in any way hostile to Mr. Roosevelt, Catholics dwell on the many evidences of his friendship while he was the occupant of the White House, and declare emphatically that the church is being placed in a false position towards the ex-President and America. Responsibility generally is placed personally on the shoulders of Cardinal Merry Del Val, the papal secretary of State. An eminent ecclesiastic is reported to have said:

"It is not the church, but the private act of the Spanish secretary of State against the colonel of the Rough Riders in Cuba."

Merry Del Val's father, formerly the Spanish ambassador to the Vatican, who is now in Rome, and who often complained of the haughty and boastful attitude of the United States in the days of Spanish defeat, said to a friend:

"It seems providential that my son should be the man to humble a Yankee President."

Mr. Roosevelt has received many messages not only from friends in the United States endorsing his action but from people throughout Europe, many of whom he does not know. Hundreds of telegrams from both Catholics and Protestants in America, congratulating him on his stand relative to the conditions imposed by the Vatican, have reached him, and this afternoon when he returned to his hotel he found an American priest, now located in Rome, who warmly felicitated him upon what he had done, saying he believed that American Catholics would endorse his action.

The ex-President, however, declines to give out any of these telegrams on the ground that they would only serve to enlarge the controversy he seeks to abate.

King Victor Emanuel visited Mr. Roosevelt this morning, and following a pleasant social chat they motored to the barracks of the Cuyrassers where they witnessed a series of manouvers.

In the afternoon in company with Professor Jesse B. Carter director of the American School of Classical Studies at Rome, he spent considerable time exploring the capitol forum.

He was exceedingly enthusiastic, saying: "No man can inspect the ruins of classic Rome without feeling that he is visiting the birthplace of civilization."

Returning, he stopped at an antique jewelry store, which he visited 43 years ago as a boy. The proprietor searched the old register and found Mr. Roosevelt's name.

Signor Ferra, sovereign grand commander of the supreme council Ancient Scottish Rite, with a deputation, called at his apartments and conferred upon him a high Masonic title. Mr. Roosevelt expressed gratification at the honor, and insisted upon the principles of brotherhood, liberty and tolerance, which he said, form the basis of regular Free Masonry throughout the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt dined this evening at the British embassy as the

guests of Sir J. Rennell Rodd. Tomorrow they will have lunch with Guglielmo Ferrero, the historian, and in the evening Mr. Roosevelt will be the guest of honor at the municipality dinner. The party will leave at midnight Wednesday for Spezia.

Bishop Ireland Arraigned.

St. Paul, Minn., April 5.—Following the publication of a statement from Archbishop Ireland regarding the Roosevelt-Vatican incident, Bishop Robert McIntyre, of the Southern Minnesota Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, who is visiting in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., tonight telegraphed the following to the Pioneer Press:

"A telegram from my home city shows that Archbishop Ireland has again attacked the Methodist Episcopal church and dragged it into the Roosevelt episode in Rome, when it had no part or share in the matter.

"He calls my people vile, dishonest and calcuminous. I bore the Fairbanks slander from him without reply but my patience is now exhausted. I hereby brand John Ireland a double tongued falsifier of God's people, a cowardly accuser of men better than himself, who are offering Italians the free grace of God without any terms of priestly monopoly.

"I also challenge him to debate the question in American fashion in the open forum when I reach St. Paul. I have great Christian love for the Roman Catholic people, but the papal machine has a blood red record that stains centuries of history.

"Ireland seems to fear Methodism and with a good reason for it stands for justice, liberty, open minded brotherliness and equal gospel privileges to all."

Archbishop Ireland when shown the statement of Bishop McIntyre tonight prepared a statement which said in part:

"The message received from Bishop McIntyre is beneath my notice. He need not trouble himself about a debate with me on his arrival in St. Paul. I stand upright before men who deal in facts or aguements; I run away from mudslingers.

"From what I know of Bishop McIntyre and what I have long known of Methodist methods in Rome I am ready to say that he would be at home, preaching in the Methodist hall on Via Nazionale, or editing the Methodist Roman organ. The Evangelista and its recognized ally, the Asino, much more so than lecturing in temples, Methodist or non Methodist in America.

"Bishop McIntyre ought to go to Rome. Judging from his present message he is expert in the lingo of the Methodist preacher. It is just such low, insulting words addressed to Catholics in Rome as those now addressed to me by Bishop McIntyre that arraign decent people in Rome against the Methodist propaganda."

BIG REAL ESTATE DEAL.

Mr. Walter L. Parsley Purchased Sampson Estate Property.

Another large and important real estate deal was consummated yesterday morning, when Mr. Walter L. Parsley purchased from Morris Bear & Bro., the very valuable Sampson estate property, generally known as the Rock Springs Hotel property, extending from the Southern Bank building to the river front and having a width of 66 feet. This property was purchased by Morris Bear & Bro., a few weeks ago for $23,000. The consideration in the last transfer was not made public. The deeds were filed for record yesterday. It will be recalled that Messrs. W. L. and R. A. Parsley recently purchased from the Tidewater Power Company its valuable property at Water and Orange including the wharfage, and the building thereon will be used as a distributing depot for the ice plant now in course of construction. It was not stated for what purpose the property purchased yesterday will be used.

ROOSEVELT'S ATTITUDE.

Denies Certain Rumors About Himself in the United States.

Rome, April 5.—Reports circulated in the United States to the effect that former President Roosevelt proposes to repudiate his successor in the presidency—President Taft—"are baseless fabrications" it was learned on excellent authority here today.

Mr. Roosevelt again today was besieged by newspaper men who sought to draw from him an intimation of his attitude towards the administration of President Taft. He was told of the reports circulated in the United States to the effect that there was a coldness between the President and himself. This did not disturb his equinimity or lead him to any comment. The following summary of the former President's attitude toward American politics was personally authorized:

"Mr. Roosevelt has not intimated what he will or what he will not do upon his return to the United States.

"He has constantly refrained from discussing politics in any way or manner. He has listened to the opinion of Americans whom he has seen but declined to talk thereon.

"He will meet Gifford Pinchot at Genoa just as he will see other old friends who desire to see him, and just as he desired to see Senator Root, who, unfortunately, found himself unable to come to Europe."

SLUMP IN COPPER STOCKS.

Caused a Sensation on the Market in Boston Yesterday.

Boston, Mass., April 5.—A slump in some of Boston's favorite copper stocks, especially those in the Lake Region, caused a sensation in the local copper market today. Lake fell off 11 points from yesterday's close; Indiana went down five points and even Calumet and Hecla, the "gilt edged" stock of the list, recorded a loss of 30 points. There was a recovery at the close and the general list closed with a gain.

Washington, April 5.—It was announced here today by the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company and the Potomac and Chesapeake Steamboat Company that a plan had mutually been agreed upon whereby the two companies will work together in the development of the country bordering upon the Potomac river. Through freight and passenger rates will be established and jointly operated by the two companies between Norfolk, Portsmouth, Old Point Comfort, and all the landings on the Potomac river and tributaries served by the local steamers of the Potomac and Chesapeake Line.

BREAK ON COTTON MARKET.

Market Sensationally Active and Excited—Selling Was General.

New York, April 5.—The cotton market was more sensationally active and excited today than it has been at any time since the culmination of the first bull movement of the season and the big break of last January. The selling was general, and at the low level of the day prices showed a loss of from $5.15 to $5.85 per bale on the active months as compared with the high level reached in the market last week.

It was the general opinion throughout the trade, while the break was in progress, that it reflected the abandonment of the bull campaign in May contracts, during which there have been such unusual developments as practically simultaneous shipments of cotton from New York to Liverpool and from Liverpool to New York. These shipments it is claimed, arose through the efforts of the bull party to reduce the local stock while those short of the May have been bringing cotton here in order to protect themselves against a threatening corner.

Whether or not the bulls were actually liquidating their position, houses credited with carrying their business were heavy sellers at times during the day. But May ruled relatively steady on the decline and after the close of the market there were those in the trade who declared that the bull leaders were standing by their main position, and that the selling movement had been precipitated by false rumors to the effect that overtures for a private settlement had been declined by the leading shorts.

In the last few minutes of trading there was a big demand which took thousands of bales off the market and caused a sharp closing rally.

The general news received but little attention after the big break started, but it seems that bullish confidence at any rate outside of the market leaders has been gradually undermined by the more favorable weather for the new crop and a slack trade demand.

BEVERIDGE DENOUNCES TARIFF.

At Convention of Indiana Republicans—Platform Adopted.

Indianapolis, April 5.—Republicans of Indiana in State Convention today began the political campaign of 1910 by the selection of a State ticket, with the exception of Governor and Lieutenant Governor and adopted a platform that indorses among other things a protective tariff, a tariff commission, conservation of natural resources, the Roosevelt policies and the administration of President Taft.

Senator A. J. Beveridge's record in Congress was also endorsed but no mention was made of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law, against which he voted.

There were few contests for places on the ticket and a number of candidates were nominated by acclamation.

Senator Beveridge, as temporary chairman of the convention, made the principal speech. He denounced the Payne-Aldrich tariff law and defended his course in voting against it.

When George A. Cunningham, of Evansville, permanent chairman, called for the report of the committee on resolutions and it was read, the chairman at once put the question for adoption and by a viva voce vote the motion was carried, although there was a chorus of "noes" from different parts of the hall.

The tariff paragraph in the platform follows:

"We believe in a protective tariff, measured by the difference between the cost of production here and abroad. Less than this is unjust to American laborers, more is unjust to American consumers. That difference should be ascertained with the utmost speed and the present law modified accordingly.

ENOREE PLANTER SUICIDE.

South Carolinian Ends Life by Eating Rough on Rats.

Spartanburg, S. C., April 5.—Ebenezer Walker, a farmer 65 years old, residing near Enoree, in this county, ended his life some time last night by eating rough on rats. His body was found lying in the road near his home this morning. He purchased a quantity of the poison from an Enoree drug store Monday evening and was seen eating it on bread ner the spot where his body was found.

FARMER'S WIFE HAS HEAP TO DO

But When She Is Sick Everything About the House Goes to Rack and Ruin.

Durham, N. C.,—"For four months I could not stand on my feet, to do anything much," says Mrs. J. M. Shepherd of this city.

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

Heyburn Speaks on Railroad Bill—Naval Bill in the House.

Washington, April 5.—Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, consumed most of the session of the Senate today by discussing the provisions of the railroad bill.

In the House the naval appropriation bill was under consideration all day but few changes being made in the measure. As the House could not agree upon recommendation of the committee on naval affairs to increase the length of the proposed dry docks at New York, Puget Sound, Washington and at Pearl harbor approximately to 700 feet, an increase of about 100 feet, the entire appropriations of those projects were stricken from the bill, leaving their determination to a later day. Both Houses will be in session tomorrow.

FUGITIVE IS KILLED

Posse Killed Father and Then Hanged Son—Both Murderers.

Centerville, Texas, April 5.—In an attempted escape from the Centerville jail yesterday afternoon Frank Bates, Sr. charged jointly with his two sons, Frank Bates, Jr., and Dolly Bates, with the killing of Ben Moon, December 3, 1909, was shot and instantly killed by a posse of citizens, and Dolly Bates was captured and hanged in a cell in the jail but was cut down before life was extinct.

Deputy Sheriff J. S. St. John, who attempted to frustrate the escape of the prisoners, was shot and dangerously wounded by the prisoners, a bullet entering his neck.

Frank Bates, Jr., the other son did not leave the prison and was unhurt.

Late tonight it was declared that St. John and Dolly Bates would live.

There is no cough medicine so popular as Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to cure coughs, colds, croup and bronchitis.—Robert R. Bellamy.

PRISON GUARD ON TRIAL

Charged in Raleigh With Killing Convict in Penitentiary.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—Call for trial at 3 o'clock last afternoon the jury was empanelled, evidence for the State was all in and the defendant had been heard in his own behalf before 6 o'clock adjournment for the day in the noted case of W. M. Dupree, chief guard of the State's prison, charged with murder in causing the death of Convict George Murphy, of Rowan county. There were only three witnesses for the State, Ed L. Utley, serving 30 years from Fayetteville for shooting Clerk Hollingsworth in the LaFayette Hotel; Convict Postelle, of Buncombe county and Convict Coswell, of McDowell county, serving 30 and 12 years, for murder. Postelle and Coswell testified that Guard Dupre struck Murphy repeatedly when he went to put him in a dark cell for drunkenness and the death of Murphy was due to blows by Depree. Utley testified much as the other two convicts except he would not swear Dupree struck Murphy. He didn't see the blows. Dupress in his own behalf recited the circumstances of going to execute the orders of Warden Sale to put Murphy in a dark cell. He denied that he used any undue force on Murphy, who seemed to be beside himself with drink or drug. E. E. Lee, in charge of the hospital pharmacy, testified as to the strength and effect of elixir bromide compound, two ounces of which given out to Murphy under instructions from the prison physician. The defense tomorrow will offer expert medical testimony that the compound was taken excessively as Murphy had taken it and it put his heart in such a state as to cause his death from sudden passion or violent struggle of any kind, the defense being this, and not mistreatment by Depree which caused his death.

SAYS WOMAN WAS SUICIDE.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury in Case at Buchanan, Va.

Buchanan, Va., April 5.—The bodies of DeWitt J. Powell, aged 35, and Miss Myra Ayers, aged 21, who had been missing since yesterday afternoon were found this afternoon in James river near here. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that Miss Ayres came to her death from drowning and that she committed suicide while Powell lost his life in an effort to save the girl.

Powell and Miss Ayres were last seen alive on the river bank at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is said Miss Ayres was in love with Powell and that she had made threats to kill herself. Powell's home was at Roanoke. He was employed by the Norfolk & Western Railway and came here Monday.

OIL WELL IN PENDER?

Messrs. Duncan and Pearsall Make Discovery—Personal Note.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., April 5.—Messrs. G. P. Duncan and W. W. Pearsall claim to have discovered an oil well in locating a driven pump at 40 feet depth. The water has quite a distinct oily smell and taste and after exhausting supply two days later more oil is pumped up.——Mrs. J. E. Johnson, of Fair Bluff, and Mrs. Loftin are visiting their old home on Rocky Point.——Forest fires have destroyed the crop of huckleberries, a large yield of which was promised.——The young people of this place will visit Lane's Ferry and eat shad just as caught from the river tonight, cooked on historic Rocky Point, where the explorers of 1653 landed.——Mr. G. P. Duncan is appointed census enumerator of No. 76.

WILSON MAD DOG SCARE.

Two Boys and Owner Bitten—Animal's Head Sent to Raleigh.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., April 5.—Last Friday Jeffrey Teacher and Willie Rice, two white boys, were bitten on the arm by a dog belonging to Willie Lamm, a Western Union messenger boy. Saturday evening the owner of the dog was bitten on the nose. The dog was then shut up and this morning showed all symptoms of hydrophobia, butting its brains out in an endeavor to get out. A veterinarian diagnosed the disease as gum rabies. The head of the brute was sent to Raleigh for examination. It is thought the boys will go to that city for treatment. Another dog was reported mad in the northwestern section of the city.

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CATHOLIC MISSION BOARD

Meet With Cardinal Gibbons in Baltimore—Southerners Present.

Baltimore, April 5.—A meeting of the Catholic Board of Mission Work among colored people was held at the residence of Cardinal Gibbons today and afterward the cardinal entertained his visitors at dinner and went with them to Washington to attend a meeting of the trustees of the Catholic University which takes place tomorrow.

Means for the extension and support of the negro missions throughout the South were discussed by Archbishop Farley, of New York; Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia; Bishop Allen of Mobile; Bishop Nyrne, of Nashville, and Rev. Dr. John E. Burke, of New York, director general of the mission.

NO BLAME IS ATTACHED.

Inquiry Court Explains Cause of Fatal Accident on Cruiser.

Washington, April 5.—The court of inquiry which has been investigating the cause of the premature discharge of a gun on board the cruiser Charleston in Subig Bay, Philippines, March 28th, by which eight sailors lost their lives, has decided that the premature discharge of the gun was probably due to the firing pin which was broken and then bent outside the vent. In loading the firing pin struck the primer with the plug closed and was partially turned. No fault is attached to any one. A telegram giving this information reached the Navy Department to-from Admiral Hubbard in command of the squadron.

ROCKINGHAM MILLS CURTAIL.

Two of Pee Dee Mills Will Shut Down Two Days Each Week.

Rockingham, N. C., April 5.—The management of the Pee Dee Mills No. 1 and 2 announced this morning that beginning immediately the mills wolud curtail to the extent of shutting down two days each week until further notice. This was quickly followed by a similar announcement from the Roberdel Mill No. 1, which will follow the same plan. The latter plant manufactures ginghams and the first two yarns.

Atlanta, Ga., April 5.—Girls are in demand in Georgia, Tennessee, North and South Carolina and Alabama, according to Dr. W. E. Summerall, superintendent of Grady Hospital. Mr. Summerall had two bodies to give away and says he received more than 60 requests, the majority of them preferring a baby girl. Most of the requests for babies came by special delivery and registered letters, few using the ordinary mails.

CAR COMPANY STANDS FIRM.

Will Not Grant Concessions to Strikers—Has Enough Men.

Philadelphia, April 5.—Declaring that it had in its employ more than 5,0000 of the 7,000 men needed for the operation of its cars at this season of the year, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company announced today that insofar as it was concerned the strike of its former employes was at an end. The company added that for the vacancies still existing in the operating force, the strikers if the applied for work would be given preference over other applicants.

The leaders of the strike, on the other hand, maintain that the strike has settled into a struggle of endurance and that the company in the end would be forced to grant concessions and take back all of the strikers.

The company today posted in all of its 19 car barns placards containing general rules governing the employment of its men. The rules are practically the same as contained in the proposition made to the strikers through Mayor Reyburn two weeks ago with the exception that no mention is made of several concessions the company had been willing to grant the strikers.

In the rules posted today no mention is made of the 173 men whose discharge brought on the strike seven weeks ago, nor of the offer to give returning strikers $2 a day while waiting for regular runs. In the offer made through the mayor, the company said it would reinstate the 173 men pending an investigation by arbitration into the justness of their dismissal. One of the rules provided that all employes are free to join any labor organization.

In an altercation between Harold Layne, a striking conductor, and Hood Alexander, a division superintendent of the Rapid Transit Company today, Alexander was shot in the head. Layne was arrested and Alexander was removed to a hospital. His condition is critical.

Richmond, Va., April 5.—Capt. Carlton McCarthy, ex mayor of Richmond, was today unanimously elected by the legislative committee appointed for the purpose to be State accountant, a new office provided for at the last session of the General Assembly. He will take office July 1st.

Chicago, April 5.—Democrats today gained a majority in the city council for the first time in several years. Of the 35 aldermen chosen, one from each ward, the Democrats elected 21, the Republicans 12 and the Independents 2. The new council will be composed of 49 Democrats, 29 Republicans and two independents.

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THE STATE IN EPITOME

News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in North Carolina.

BASEBALL AT THE FORT.

Tigers and Senators in Fifteen Inning Contest—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fort Caswell, N. C., April 4.—It took 15 innings in a practice game of baseball here today between the 31st "Senators" and the 19th Company "Tigers" of the Caswell league, to decide the winner of a well played, hotly contested exhibition of the national pastime, in which the Senators, after a game, up-hill fight, romped across the plate with the run that meant victory.

The Tigers, who took kindly to the benders of Howell in the first session of the game, seemed to have things pretty much their own way, and behind Kozelka, who was very much of an enigma to the Senators' batters, continued to hold the fort until the 9th session, when Kozelka eased up, just for a brief space, but that time, brief as it was, with a little loose defensive work at third base and rightfield, was sufficient for the gingery Senators to overcome a 3-run lead and tie the score which the Tigers found was 5 to 5 at the end of the 9th instead of 5 to 2 as in the preceding inning.

Both teams threatened to score in the 12th, and after two men were down in the 13th McCumber laced off a beautiful two-bagger, but the next man popped an infield out retiring the side. In the 15th Rife got a single, took second on a passed ball, was sacrificed to third, and scored the winning run on a single behind second base. Score, Senators 6, Tigers 5. The feature of the game was McCumber's batting, making three two-baggers and a single in five times at bat, and the all-around playing of Rife, whose base-running was sensational.

The mine planter, "Gen. Armfield" arrived here Friday evening, and went to Wilmington Saturday for supplies, etc. She will remain here six weeks.

The material for the new cannon battery post telephone system to be installed in this post has nearly all been received, and the work of installing same will begin in a few days.

SEVERE ELECTRIC STORM.

Visited Nash County Sunday Night—Rocky Mount News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 5.—A violent electrical storm broke over this city Sunday night, and considering the season of the year it was the most severe in many years. An electric light feed line on North Church street was struck and for several minutes it put the light plant of the city out of commission. However the lights were finally turned on, with the extent of the damage done having been the blowing of several fuses at the plant. A current transformer near where the bolt is thought to have struck was put out of commission, and people served with lights from that transformer were left in darkness for the remainder of the night. The telephone company report the blowing of a number of fuses and that a possible dozen and a half or two dozen phone company reports the blowing of early hour today. The telegraph lines had their service seriously interrupted for several minutes.

Mrs. F. S. Spruill today received a notice that she had been appointed as the North Carolina delegate from the State association to the meeting of the National Colonial Dames of America which is to hold its annual session in Washington City on this month. The annual meeting this year is for a three days' session and starts on Wednesday, April 27th.

Mr. F. C. Tompleman, of Henderson, manager of the Home Telephone and Telegraph Co., who operates the local exchange, left yesterday afternoon for Jacksonville, Fla., where he goes to attend the annual meeting of the Peninsula Telephone Association which convened this morning in that city. Mr. Topleman is not a member of this association but is one of the speakers on the programme and by special request will handle the same subject as he did before the South Atlantic Telephone Men's Association in Atlanta several months ago.

Persons who were in the city yesterday from points in Nash county around the Oak Level neighborhood report Sunday night's electrical storm the worst that has occurred in the history of the oldest inhabitant in that section when the season of the year is taken into consideration.

CAROLINA DAY AT WINSTON.

Glee Club and Orchestra Wins Laurel There.

(Special to Carlotte Observer.)

Winston-Salem, March 26.—It was Carolina day in Winston Salem today. The Carolina-Davidson baseball game, the first significant intercollegiate contest of the season, had its issue in the afternoon and the University Glee Club and Orchestra gave its opening performance tonight. Carolina won from Davidson 4 to 3 in an excrutiatingly exciting contest. The conflicting excitement and suspense of the afternoon found pleasant relief in the harmony and melody of the night. The musical programme was admirably adapted to the pleasantness of the occasion. The programme consisted of well-rendered numbers by the Glee Club and Orchestra and solos by Paul Capelle, J. E. Ray, and D. R. Rights. The Carolina baseball team occupied a box and added much to the interest of the night.

A good-sized audience was delighted with the performance. The whole occasion was a splendid representation of the musical and athletic spirit of the University of North Carolina. Breezy and catchy were the airs and songs, hightoned the atmosphere and collegiate the background of the whole performance.

Worse Than Bullets.

Bullets have often caused less suffering to soldiers than the eczema L. W. Harriman, Burlington, Me., got in the army, and suffered with forty years. "But Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me when all else failed," he writes. Greatest healer of sores' ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, wounds, bruises and piles. 25c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

GEO. GOULD HEAVY INVESTOR.

Has Been Buying Quantities of Guilford Land.

(News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 4.—Mr. E. D. Steele, of High Point, and several other representative citizens appeared before the county commissioners this morning to advocate improvement of a seven mile stretch of public road leading from the Amos Ragan place on the macadam road south of High Point to the Freeman mill road towards Greensboro. It was represented that the road could be greatly improved at a minimum of expense. Besides this, Mr. Steele read a letter from Mr. George J. Gould, stating that he would be glad to share liberally in the cost of the improvement, since this road runs through a section where he has recently made purchases of land and where he will soon begin the erection of a country home. Mr. Steele has recently purchased for Mr. Gould two thousand acres of land, in many different adjoining tracts, paying the owners the cash, the total amount paid out being in the neighborhood of $60,000. Many of the farmers, selling out, have re-invested in other lands nearby, and this has had the effect of "booming" farm land real estate values in the whole community. It it stated that Mr. Gould intends to develop this property for agricultural purposes, and has not purchased it simply for sporting purposes. He will not build a "club house" in the usual sense of that investment, but will have constructed near the center of the estate a comfortable modern country residence, with all necessary outhouses for stock, etc. In addition to this, will be erected on different parts of the property good residences for overseers and other employes, who will superintend and work the various experimental or development activities of the farm operations. Mr. Gould is of the very best type of America's wealthy and constructive citizenship. For several years he has visited this section for a short time each hunting season for recreation. The people of High Point, of Greensboro, and in the rural districts where he has been universally esteem him for his personal merit and true Democratic gentility. The fact that he concluded to make practical investments here and will aid in developing the fast developing agricultural resources of the county is highly appreciated. It will be a benefit to the whole State, and Mr. Gould's efforts will meet with cordial public co-operation from the broad-minded county authorities, and the hearty approval and sympathy of Guilford's progressive private citizenship.

CONFEDERATE REUNION.

Preparations Making for Great Gathering at Mobile.

(News and Observer.)

The reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held at Mobile on the 26th, 27th and 28th of this month, and is expected to be one of the pleasantest ever held. In an interview yesterday by a reporter of this paper with Maj. H. A. London, the Adjutant General of the North Carolina Division of the U. C. V., he stated that a large attendance is expected from this State.

The railroads have given, as heretofore, the low rate of one cent per mile, not only to the veterans, but to all visitors at the reunion.

The headquarters of the North Carolina veterans during the reunion will be located in the Mitchell building, on the west side of Water street. The hospitable citizens of Mobile have made ample arrangements for the free entertainment of all veterans who cannot pay for their meals and lodging. It is necessary that those veterans who desire free entertainment should at once notify Mr. Geo. T. Lyndall, Chairman of the Encampment Committee, in order that accommodations may be secured for them.

Maj. London earnestly urges upon all the camps of the North Carolina Division to pay, without further delay, their annual dues, to Gen. W. E. Mickle, No. 824 Common street, New Orleans, L. No camp is entitled to a vote or voice at the reunion that is in arrears in any of its dues.

As heretofore noted in the News and Observer, the Raleigh Confederate Drum Corp will attend the reunion at Mobile and will, no doubt, as usual, attract much attention.

Opposition to Adams.

News and Observer: Washington, D. C., April 4.—The opposition to the nomination of ex-Judge Spencer B. Adams, as district attorney in the west, which is making itself felt at the White House, will, according to reports current here, bring the name of Thomas Settle into the contest. Judge Adams' friends do not attach much importance to the stories of opposition to his nomination, which they say comes from Republicans who are anxious to secure the appointment of another. They recall the fact that the President caused the announcement to be given out by his private secretary that Judge Adams would succeed District Attorney Holton, and they say they have no reason to doubt Mr. Taft's sincerity.

People Were Incensed.

News and Observer: Col. L. G. Pratt and Mr. J. D. Jones, of Providence, R. I., were visitors to the Governor's office yesterday, bearing a letter of introduction from Governor Pothier, of Rhode Island. Mr. Jones said that the people of his State were sore about the gift of repudiated bonds to that commonwealth by the New York sharpers and would not have stood for anything else than what Governor Pothier did: returned them to the donors. He said he never knew the people of the Plantations more interested in anything than in the bond business.

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ALLEGED HYDROPROBIA.

Man Who Had Taken Pasteur Treatment Succumbs.

(Charlotte Observer.)

Wilson, April 4.—December 3rd, last, Wesley Artist and Julius Rowe were bitten by a mad dog near Stantonburg. Both men were sent to Raleigh where they took the Pasteur treatment, being discharged December 27th as cured. Last Friday night Artist was taken violently ill when physicians were sent for and after a thorough examination they diagnosed the case as hydrophobia.

Between paroxysms of the most intense suffering the victim begged those about him to kill him and put him out of his misery. He frothed at the mouth and vomited up the greenest of green stuff. It took seven men to hold him, who after a while took him to Eureka tied, where he died a few hours afterward in the guardhouse.

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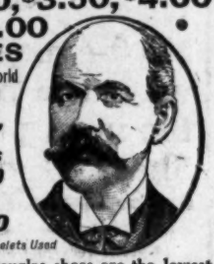

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ROAD ORDINANCE.

The following ordinance was adopted by the Board of Aldermen at a meeting held March 7th, 1910:

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina:

Section 1. That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person by himself, or driver or agent to violate any one or more of the following rules of the road of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina.

Rule 1. Vehicles shall keep to the right side of the street or road when possible to do so, except when necessary to turn to the left in crossing or in overtaking another vehicle.

Rule 2. Vehicles overtaking others traveling in the same direction shall pass to the left when possible to so do.

Rule 3. Vehicles approaching one another from opposite direction shall pass to the right of one another.

Rule 4. In order that all vehicles on each side of the street shall be headed in the same direction, owners, drivers or agents of vehicles are required to turn if necessary when stopping at the sidewalk so that the sidewalk will be to the right of such driver when such stop is made on all treets between Red Cross and Orange West of the East side of Second and the West side of Front street.

Rule 5. Vehicles moving slowly shall keep as close as possible to the curb on right side of road so as to allow faster moving vehicles free passage to the left.

Rule 6. All vehicles going East and West shall have the right-of-way at street crossings of vehicles going North and South.

Rule 7. Unless in an emergency, or to allow another vehicle or pedestrian to cross its path, no vehicle shall stop in any street or highway except close to the curb line.

Rule 8. Fire Department apparatus, police patrols, hospital ambulance and duly registered physicians shall have the right-of-way through any street and through any procession, except over vehicles carrying United States Mail or funeral processions.

Rule 9. No vehicle except as above described shall be driven through any procession except with permission of a police officer.

Section 2. Any person violating this ordinance, or causing the same to be done, shall on conviction in the Recorder's Court be punished by a fine of Five ($5.00) Dollars.

Section 3. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and same are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after the 1st day of April, 1910.

The City Clerk and Treasurer shall be instructed to have the above ordinance published in one of the Wilmington daily papers for seven days prior to the 1st day of April 1910.

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ma 29 7t. City Clerk and Treasurer.

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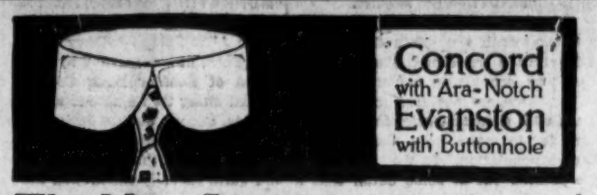

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48. Daily.	No. 42. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	2:30 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	11:37 pm	10:05 pm
Ar. Wilson	12:36 pm	11:01 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:18 pm	11:45 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:35 pm	2:08 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:50 pm	*3:35 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:0[illegible] m	3:55 am
Ar. Richmond	8:0[illegible] a	4:40 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:00 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:20 am	9:16 am
Ar. W. Philadelphia	3:40 am	11:35 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	1:00 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41. Daily.	No. 49. Daily.
Lv. New York	3:25 pm	9:25 pm
Lv. W. Philadelphia	5:44 pm	12:19 am
Lv. Baltimore	8:20 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	10:00 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk	3:00 pm	8:10 am
Lv. Petersburg	1:58 am	9:18 am
Lv Weldon	3:48 am	11:30 am
Lv. Rocky Mount	5:05 am	12:40 pm
Lv. Wilson	6:49 am	1:52 pm
Lv. Goldsboro	6:40 am	2:50 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 am	6:15 pm

WEST AND SOUTH.

via Wilson.

	51.	53	47
Lv. Wilmington	5:30 am	3:15 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Florence	9:25 am	7:25 pm	4:01 am
Ar. Columbia	12:55 pm	11:05 pm	
Ar. Augusta	3:00 pm		
Ar. Atlanta	8:20 pm		
Ar. Nashville	6:30 am		
Ar. Memphis	8:30 pm		
Ar. Louisville	1:10 pm		
Ar. Con'ti	4:35 pm		
Ar. Charleston	1:15 pm	11:20 pm	7:05 am
Ar Savannah	3:55 pm	2:20 am	9:30 am
Ar. Jacksonville	8:15 pm	7:15 am	1:30 pm
Ar. Tampa	7:00 am	7:00 pm	10:25 pm

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Lv. Jacksonville	7:30 am	7:45 pm
Lv. Savannah	11:55 am	12:15 am
Lv. Charleston	4:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:10 pm	5:45 am
Lv. Augusta	2:45 pm	
Lv. Florence	8:03 pm	9:25 am
Ar. Wilmington	11:50 pm	1:40 pm

WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

Westbound. 53 Daily.		Eastbound. 52 Daily.
8:40 AM	Lv. Wilmington Ar.	8:05 PM
11:45 AM	Ar. Fayetteville Lv.	4:50 PM
12:10 PM	Lv. Fayetteville Ar.	4:45 PM
1:40 PM	Ar. Sanford Lv.	3:30 PM

WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Northbound. 62	Daily except Sunday.	Southbound. 63
3:25 PM	Lv. Wilmington Ar.	12:50 PM
5:17 PM	A. Jacksonville Lv.	10:55 AM
6:44 PM	Ar. N. & S. Jct. Lv.	9:26 AM
6:50 PM	Ar. Newbern Lv.	9:20 AM

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SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess treets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45, 9:15 and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 5:15, 7:55 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:15 and 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M. 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, *6:10, 7:20, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

*6:10 trip goes over to beach station No. 1.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 6:25, 6:55, 8:05, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
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NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County in a cause therein pending wherein the City of Wilmington is plaintiff and William Purnell and his wife, Fannie Purnell, are the defendants, the undersigned commissioner will expose for sale, for cash, to the highest bidder at the Court House door in New Hanover County, State of North Carolina, on the 16th day of April, 1910, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate, lying and being in the State of North Carolina, County and City aforesaid, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the southeastern intersection of Queen and Tenth streets, runs thence eastwardly along the southern line of Queen street 247 1-2 feet, thence southwardly 66 feet, thence westwardly and parallel with Queen street 247 1-2 feet to Tenth street, thence along Tenth street northwardly 66 feet to the beginning, being a part of lot 1, Block 68 according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

This the 16th day of March, 1910.

W. P. MANGUM TURNER,
ma 16 1aw 4w we. Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE LAND AT CORNER OF PRINCESS AND SEVENTEENTH STS.

By virtue of an order of the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County on the 12th day of March, 1910 in a certain proceeding entitled Louisa G. Wright, et al., ex parte, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court house door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Monday the 13th day of April, 1910, at 12 o'clock, M. the following property, to-wit:

Two certain blocks in the City of Wilmington bounded on the South by Princess St. on the West by Sixteenth Street, on the North by Chesnut Street, and on the East by Seventeenth street, being Blocks Nos. 480 and 481, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Each block will be sold separately and then both blocks will be put up together, and bids on each block, and both blocks combined will be reported to the Court for confirmation. The terms of sale will be cash on confirmation by Clerk of the Superior Court, and delivery of deed.

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Beginning at a point in the Southern line of Harnett street 82 feet eastwardly from the southeast intersection of Fifth and Harnett streets, and running thence along said southern line of Harnett street eastwardly fifty feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Fifth street sixty-six feet; thence westwardly parallel with Harnett street fifty feet; thence northwardly parallel with Fifth street sixty-six feet to the southern line of Harnett street, the beginning, same being a part of lot No. 1 in Block No. 294, according to the official plan of the aforesaid city of Wilmington.

This the 19th day of March, 1910.

T. L. JOHNSON,
ma 22 tu 4w. Commissioner.

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Wednesday, April 6th, 1910.

AN AMPUTATED CONTRAST.

In announcing the pardon of Robert Carter, a negro convicted at Rockingham last August of retailing liquor, Governor Kitchin says in his "statement of reasons":

"Prisoner has served eight months with a good record. He is a one armed and one legged negro."

The emphasis is ours. It might be well if the Governor and the people of the State should alike make it their own in the interest of a cooler application of the delicate balances of justice and mercy to criminals convicted of crime.

Consider the case of this negro: perhaps his one piece of good fortune was that he had an arm on one side and a leg on the other, though the record does not so specify. Thus equipped to use a good arm to manipulate a crutch in the absence of a leg, he in some sort managed to perambulate an evil way through life. Of course, he ought to have been earning a living by driving a team, working at a lumber mill, or running a plow. At the same time, his misfortunes were of a sort which might serve to arouse a pity at his short comings. With a leg and an arm, the Devil still found some evil to put in his hands or his bootleg, it is true, but we are glad to know that he repented and that he made a good record on the roads. It all goes to show the salutary effects of confinement at hard labor: at liberty, it was no doubt a temptation to this ill-equipped laborer to labor, and so he took to crime; while on the roads, he braced himself and made a record with the best of them.

On the other hand, Mr. Shemwell makes repeated displays with fire arms, notwithstanding the exciting effects such actions might be expected to have upon a weak heart and a neurasthenic nervous system. A kind hearted judge sentences him to a reasonable rest in jail. A kinder hearted Governor concludes that even this punishment is excessive.

Mr. Shemwell, a man of education, position and means, nevertheless undertakes to commit assaults with a deadly weapon, relying for protection upon just those qualities which ought to have made him refrain from violating the law.

Robert Carter, minus an arm and a leg, takes to the 'boot" in the way natural to the instinct of self-preservation.

Before Mr. Shemwell's sentence is finally reduced to five days, he has been given some three months reprieve.

Robert Carter, sentenced to two years, is permitted to serve eight months on the roads with his one leg and his one arm.

Yet there is one law for the negro and the white man. Color is wiped out by crime!

Is Governor Kitchin starting to do the logical thing and release all prisoners from penitentiary, convict camps and jails, whose health or defects would deny them admission as recruits to the army or navy?

The fact that, in the case of Carter, it seems that he has before refused pardon, while he now grants it, indicates as much.

It ought to at any rate, unless the pardoning power is to be in theory what it has too often been made in practice ,the exercise of an arbitrary Executive will.

Greensboro is so easily shocked as to suggest that it is in a constant dread of some exposure. The latest is an indictment against the manager of a theatre for posting pictures of show girls in shop windows. Whereas everybody knows that these chromos are more in the nature of examples than allurements.

THE CHURCHES BARE THEIR FANGS.

There is one thing which is, perhaps, as foolish as attempting to intervene between a husband and wife, and that is to engage in a "church row." There is a zeal about certain forms of combat which will brook neither arbitration nor participation. The blood lust in the combatants is of a personal quality; it is willing to suffer blows if only it may give them.

We are, nevertheless, sorry that both the Roman Catholic and Methodist denominations should, in the persons of certain prominent officials, have seen fit to use the Roosevelt incident at Rome as an excuse to fly at one another's throats. The matter was purely one of etiquette between two prominent personages. The Pope had certain convictions concerning Roman Methodists which led him to have no official communication with one having official communication with them. This information was conveyed, as delicately as might be, to Mr. Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt, on the other hand, had the strong conviction that there was no pleasure worth the surrender of tithe or tittle of his sovereign right to do as he pleased. The man who has shown an ability to consort with prize fighters, cow boys, college professors, negro college presidents, African potentates on up and down the scale of life from the New York police to the crowned heads of Europe—such a man could have been depended upon to pass up a Pope for a Methodist parson at the first suggestion from the former that he could not hobnob with both.

Why, then, when the parties at interest had clashed in their amicable efforts to meet, should Archbishop Ireland attempt a fall out of the "Meeting House" people with a statement like this?

"Before passing judgment on the Roosevelt incident in Rome one should be thoroughly conversant with all attending circumstances. Of one thing I am certain—the Methodist propaganda in Rome is so vile, so calumnious in its assaults upon the Catholic faith, so dishonest in its methods to win proselytes that the Holy Father, the supreme guardian of the faith, is compelled by the vital principles of his high office to avert, at all cost, the slightest movement on his part that might directly or indirectly, be interpreted as abetting the propaganda or approving, even by implication, its purposes and tactics."

And, having thus relieved himself, why should he have found it necessary to add?

"Indeed, the Methodist minister in Rome, Rev. Mr. Tipple, in his address the Sunday after the Fairbanks incident, is an all sufficient indication of its rancorous spirit and of the egregious calumnies to which it resorts. It is as clear as noonday to those who know the facts in connection with the Methodist Roman propaganda that any man however otherwise worthy and illustrious giving or likely to give public recognition of any kind of its work, even to its existence, could not be received by the Holy Father."

On the other hand, himself the chosen of the mighty hunter and statesman, should the valiant Rev. Tipple have drawn the blade of his invective to speak thus?

"The Vatican is incompatible with Republican principles. This is a bitter dose for patriotic Catholics in America to swallow. I wonder how many doses of this sort they will take before they revolt. Is Catholicism in America to be American or Romish? If Romish, then every patriotic American should rise to crush it, for Roman Catholicism is the uncompromising foe of freedom."

While Bishop Walden is mean enough to crow over the matter of that very proselyting so obnoxious to the Holy See by declaring?

"But, it is not, after all, the Methodist Church which has its bristles out, but the Roman Catholic Church. The Methodist Church has not been injured in the least. We are used to the insults and attacks of Rome, perhaps more than any other denomination, owing to the fact that we have been active in many countries which are peculiarly Roman. It is our success which has aroused Rome and made her lift her bristles. If we had not been successful, if Methodism was not a vital, powerful force where we have planted it, we would hear nothing from Rome."

Perhaps it is entirely natural, but we think still objectionable, that both of these great organizations should have bristles like the porcupine. But, "cui bono?" except the age-long strife, the undying bitterness, the inextinguishable hatred that has through all the years put the charity of the common creed to the purposes of the lash of sect?

Surely, it is to be hoped that in this instance the mass of both denominations in America will follow, not their hot-headed leaders into the fray, but the cooler, more generous act of that hot-headed and arrogant American who for once swallowed his own feeling in charitable recognition of the feeling of another.

The Asheville Citizen carries a cartoon representing a number of prominent citizens sleeping in front of the Vance monument. Has this any political significance connected with—whenever it is that Senator Overman's term is "up"?

Just to show that the thing had nothing to do with politics, Governor Kitchin turns about and pardons out of the penitentiary that Republican ex-Sheriff of Sampson county.

Mr. Bryan was too shrewd a man to play a curtain raiser to the main event.

"MAD DOGS" AGAIN.

Some month ago, when the periodical agitation concerning the dog question was convulsing certain sections of the State, we ventured to come forward with a modest brief for what we consider in many ways the maligned canine population. In this connection we pointed out at some detail that a comparatively few years ago there were few cases of hydrophobia; that owners of dogs, as a rule, did not believe in the presence of the disease in this climate, and that it had been only since the State had embarked in the business of a Pasteur institute that accredited cases of rabies had been discovered. From which we argued that, first possibly, there was a mistake somewhere; that not a few gentlemanly dogs were being executed on account of nothing worse than temporary liver complaint, and that many terror-stricken people were even then undergoing much discomfort and expense for the sake of a questionable treatment;

And—of course—hardly had we gotten the words out of our mouth, so to speak, before there was reported a death from hydrophobia in the person of one of several who had been bitten by the same "mad dog", the deceased being the only one who had neglected to take the treatment.

Now, however, comes along a horse of another color in the case of a death of one who, bitten by the proverbial deranged canine, had duly gone to Raleigh, taken the treatment, been pronounced cured—and had then gone violently "mad" himself. In the words of the dispatch:

"Friday night last Artist was taken violently ill, when physicians were sent for and after a thorough examination they diagnosed the case as hydrophobia. Between paroxisms of the most intense suffering, the victim begged those about him to kill him and put him out of his misery. He frothed at the mouth, vomiting up the greenest of green stuff. It took seven men to hold him, who after a while took him to Eureka tied, where he died a few hours afterwards in the guard house."

Taking the diagnosis to have been correct, and passing over the barbarity of taking a dying man to a guard house, as the result of superstitious fear, the hydrophobia situation appears more mixed than ever. There would seem to remain nothing but for the victim to take his chances, and live a life shadowed with the dread that some day he will commence to bark like a dog, to snap, to inherit the strength of a giant for a brief period, and then to die in agony. If the elaborate Pasteur treatment, with all its painful and uncomfortable incidents, will not cure, there is nothing left save to kill out the dogs—sane or insane—root and branch.

This is, of course, a cheerless prospect, but we counsel no one to take the matter so seriously as that. There is the question of the diagnosis. There is the other question of whether the treatment was taken "in time". There are the still open questions of whether the dog was "mad" in the first instance, and whether his victim died of hydrophobia in the next. Is it not possible that the true deaths of people from "hydrophobia" are in about the same proportion to those who are claimed to have died of it as long experience would seem to indicate is the case with dogs wantonly slain on that count? "Mad dogs" have long been a popular fear, but who can personally recall one of their victims, even in the days when the "mad stone" was in vogue and careful people added a touch of caustic to the bite? There are many violent seizures which men are heir to, the symptoms of which are strange and alarming; there are many ordinary attacks to which dogs are subject, which imagination instantly converts into the signs of a dangerous and deadly condition.

Now that the days are beginning to warm up—that even the "dog days" are in sight—let us keep cool, at least, about "the hydrophoby".

"Is Roosevelt more popular?" asks an exchange, and is answered by the news from Rome. The ex-President is evidently taking no chances with his popularity.

If the indictments against the Pittsburg grafters are quashed, they ought to elect the non-resident grand juryman responsible for it chairman of the common council.

"Will it be Harmon and Harmony for the next Democratic National ticket?" asks the Columbia State. It looks so, so long as Mr. Bryan continues to talk with his muffler on.

The Raleigh Evening Times continues to urge an abattoir. How about a crematory for that Swift article that has been on sale at the city market?

Mr. ex-Senator Conger, having pulled down the temple about his own ears, might now find a job in a side-show as the modern Sampson.

Another tradition blown away! It is no longer fashionable, when visiting Rome, to "do as the Romans do."

It now appears that a "cure" of hydrophobia will not always prevent one's dying of the malady.

Archbishop Ireland and Rev. Tipple are both talking as though they had had one.

"MONKEYING" WITH THE TRUTH.

The Allds-Conger bribery scandal in New York, now concluded by the resignation of Senator Benn Conger, has had all along its humorous and satiric aspects. Conger had no desire to bring the charges. He was fighting Allds for the position that the latter desired, and quite casually mentioned the matter of bribery in private conference. With all naivete he admitted his own guilty knowledge of the crime for the sake of thwarting Allds' ambition.

Naturally, when the matter got out, Allds made vehement denial on the floor of the Senate, and of a sudden Conger was put to the unpleasant necessity of proving publicly matters which damned himself almost equally with the man accused. He was damned either way, and it is this fact which probably accounts for the zeal with which the charges were prosecuted against Allds. But hear Conger describe his own predicament in the speech with which he tendered his resignation:

"So the alternative was presented to me of becoming a liar and thereby remaining a member of this body in good standing, or of speaking the truth and thereby greatly injuring myself, financially, politically and socially, and bringing upon my family undesirable notoriety and sorrow. I determined that the only thing I could do and retain my own self-respect was to speak the truth whatever the cost. That I have done and forty of your number by your votes, have certified thereto."

We doubt that Senator Conger realized the force of his words when he stated that he could have become a liar and remained a member in good standing, while to tell the truth was to forfeit his position and his reputation. As he swept the Senate with his eye, there is little doubt that it rested more than once on members still in good standing, very virtuous, quite smug, and ready to lie, and lie again if necessary to continue to sit and smear the record with their piety. But he did not tell it all, did Conger. Was he troubled about the lie? Was he concerned about the bribe? Or had he simply jockeyed himself into a pocket where the truth was the lesser of alternative evils? All of which brings the sardonic reflection that the cause of the entire turmoil was an accidental verity.

ANYWHERE FOR GOOD ADVICE.

Politics is ever a curious thing. To a reference to it as a Republican paper, the Asheville Gazette-News says:

"Our contemporary by the sea has been getting the wrong perspective; it is singularly ill advised touching our political affiliations. Reflecting upon the fact, which ought to be known to the Star, that running a Republican newspaper is a role which we never played, should enable it to relieve itself of much of its embarrassment. In our small way we have come to the defense of Republicans when attacked unjustly, just as we have defended Democrats under similar conditions, but, it ought not to be necessary to say, we are not allied to any man, or set of men, politically."

We hasten to make whatever retractions are necessary. That the Gazette-News is "independent" in character needed no telling to anyone who has followed its course concerning Congressmen Morehead and Grant, as well as its plain utterances in recognition of the clear drift of public opinion away from the policy and practice of the Republican party as exampled by the Administration. The editor of the Gazette-News was once, if we mistake not, the editor of Marion Butler's Industrial News at Greensboro. Probably he now speaks for his own paper, and at the moment that paper would probably be denominated an "Insurgent" or "Progressive" Republican organ. We did not more than take it at its spoken word.

In the same editorial, speaking of the brightening Democratic skies, the Gazette-News says that "it must be borne in mind that Bryan has been abroad again, and is coming home," and that "it will behoove Democrats now to hold their breath, lest that gentleman again throw the fat into the fire. Mr. Bryan has had a great deal of time for reflection, which alone will warrant Democratic leaders in viewing the future with alarm."

To this, emanating from at least a near-Republican sheet, we accord unstinted praise as sound advice to Democrats. So far, the Bryan cyclone has not broken. It has landed and dissipated, almost without a jar. Of course, there is no telling. The right of free speech still remains standing in the wreck of the constitution—and Mr. Bryan has always been free in his exercise of the right. However, let us hope. Mr. Bryan is fourteen years older than he was in 1896, and he has had much experience. Is it too much to hope that, about this time of his life, his reflections may lead him to the sane and conservative conclusion that silence is sometimes golden? If it were just silver, we might think of Nebraska with less of palpitation at the heart.

CURRENT COMMENT.

While in Rome Colonel Roosevelt will go where he pleases, according every one else full right to do the same. In consequence, the Pope will not receive him. This is regrettable, but, regardless of the case for the Pope, no just blame can be visited upon the Colonel.—Charlotte Observer.

In his diplomatic philanderings, Secretary Philander Knox has received some hard bumps. One of his hardest was the quiet intimation of his great and good friend, John Bull, that the United States has no special interests in Manchuria, that England is bound to respect. This ought to hearten Madriz and his disturbed republic of Nicaragua.—Columbia State.

The Worth of a Boy.

(Washington Post.)

What is the money value of a boy? Perhaps that depends remotely upon the boy's ancestors; or, perhaps, the youth may be warranted in repeating the exclamation of the great Napoleon, "I am my ancestor." For example, what appraiser would place an estimate upon the capitalized worth of that stripling mathematical prodigy of Harvard who wrestles lightly with the fourth dimension? But this is a question not of precocity, but of the worth of the normal lad, in this case of the only son of a widow. For her support and his own he was delivering newspapers in a Connecticut town, when he was killed by an automobile. A jury fixed the responsibility upon the owner, who was driving his machine. The evidence was conclusive, leaving no option upon that point. But the thrifty jury estimated the damages at $300. The judge sent the jurors back for further consideration, but they adhered to their decision; whereupon the court set the verdict aside as contrary to equity and fact.

This was evidently an industrious boy. He might be regarded as a type, not only the object of pride and affection, but, in part, the dependence of another. It must have cost something to bring him up and to guide his development to the degree of efficiency that he had reached. He had become an earner, but he could not have had time, at his age, to have reimbursed the expense of his 14 years of life.

The court, it would appear, quite properly ruled that the jury could not have taken fairly into account either the care or the money that had gone into his rearing. That conclusion, moreover, was wholly economic; it made no account of sentiment, nor of the prospective increase in his rating as a product. The verdict looked neither backward nor forward, and the judge was both humane and just in turning his view in both directions. Perhaps this jury would have understood better the conditions and values if its members had been considering the worth of a horse that had been killed.

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SECOND TRIAL OF B. COX

Began in Superior Court Yesterday Morning—Will Consume Today and Probably Tomorrow. Many Witnesses.

For the second time B. Cox, a white man, was placed on trial in Superior Court yesterday morning on the charge of house burning, being accused of setting fire to the old first toll house, which he occupied just east of the city, and which was burned to the ground in July, 1908. When court adjourned yesterday afternoon the examination of witnesses for the State had not been concluded and it looks as if all of today and a portion of tomorrow will be required to complete the trial of the case.

The jury was selected in a comparatively short time as follows: G. S. Wallace, A. H. Jones, E. R. Rhew, C. T. McKeithan, W. C. Armstrong, A. W. King, F. M. McGowan, J. W. Capps, J. L. Middleton, T. W. Wood, T. C. Rhodes and W. D. Hall. The defendant is represented by Herbert McClammy, Marsden Bellamy and L. Clayton Grant, Esqs., while Hon. John D. Bellamy is assisting the solicitor as special counsel for the State Insurance Department and every inch of ground is being stubbornly contested. There were rather lively tilts between counsel yesterday afternoon.

The first witness was Chief Chas. Schnibben, of the fire department, whose testimony was with reference to occurrence of the fire, as to conditions found by him, where the fire started and what portion of the furniture was saved. He was followed by Mr. John T. Yates, superintendent of the fire alarm system, who told what he saw when he reached the fire, with special reference to the intenseness of the heat and what he saw of contents in the different rooms. When he concluded, recess was taken for dinner.

At the afternoon session Tony Watters, Mary Weston and Norwood Weston, colored, and Jim Cartney, a white man, were put on the stand, after which Deputy Insurance Commissioner W. A. Scott, who worked up the evidence in the case, gave his testimony. Mr. Scott said that soon after arriving here to work on the case he saw Mr. Cox and questioned him with reference to his furniture. He said that Mr. Cox told him that he shipped some of his furniture here from Concord and on which he caried $400 insurance and that he purchased additional pieces in Wilmington on which he took out $600 insurance. The witness said that he went to the Seaboard depot, where Mr. Cox said furniture from Concord was delivered to him, and the different Wilmington furniture stores and then told Mr. Cox of the result of his investigations. Mr. McClammy objected to this testimony, but the objection was overruled by Judge Cooke, and Mr. Scott continued, saying that he told Mr. Cox that he had been to the depot and that no such furniture was shipped to him from Concord; that he visited the furniture stores and that as the furniture men remembered Mr. Cox had priced several pieces of furniture but had not made any purchases. Cox told witness that he bought what he wanted piece at the time and carried it out himself, hence the dealers were likely to forget the sales. He found one place where the defendant had purchased $40 worth of furniture and said that he told Cox that it looked to him that he had $1,000 insurance on about $40 worth of furniture. Witness stated further to Cox that it looked bad for him as he was the only occupant of the house that night and the fire had its origin on the inside. The witness then told of examining property that was saved and also testified to an appointment he had with the defendant at which time the defendant was to be given an opportunity to show by a visit to the different furniture stores that the statement of the amount of furniture purchased in Wilmington was correct. He said that the defendant did not keep the appointment, but that he saw him about 7 P. M. of the same day coming out of Col. Walker Taylor's insurance office. He told of a conversation they had on the streets and of his visit to the beach the next day and finding the effects of Cox removed. Cox was later arested in Fayetteville. Mr. Scott read a list of the effects Cox and his wife told him were in the house at the time of the fire. Mr. Scott was on the stand until nearly 5 o'clock, when Col. Walker Taylor, who had the insurance on the property, was called. His testimony consumed the remainder of the day's session.

At yesterday's session of court the case of Chas. S. Riley & Co. against W. T. Sears & Company, labor claims, was set for the first day of the May term. The case against Mr. Herbert Hocutt, formerly road superintendent, against whom the grand jury returned a true bill at the last term, has been continued until the July term. A letter was written to Mr. Hocutt, who now lives at Roanoke, Va., that the case had been continued, but Mr. Hocutt was already on his way here and did not receive the letter.

PLEASURE YACHTS IN PORT.

Two Bound North From Southern Waters—Davy Jones Clears.

Two handsome pleasure craft, the yachts Tyche, Capt. Larsyn, and Grey Duck, Capt. Staples, bound from the south, where they have been cruising during the Winter months, to their home ports, arrived yesterday for provisions. The Tyche is owned by Mr. F. L. Beedions, of Providence, and is splendidly equipped. She will receive slight repairs while in port. The Grey Duck brought her owner, Mr. T. L. Sturtevant, and family, of Boston. They left by rail yesterday for Beaufort where the yacht will meet them within the next few days. Both of the yachts made good time in their passage from Florida. The Grey Duck was docked at the Clyde Line wharf and the Tyche at the wharf of the Springer Coal Company.

The yacht Davy Jones, which put in for repairs about a week ago, after being partially disabled at sea by one of her engines breaking down, has received repairs and proceeded. She is owned by Mr. G. O. Curtis, of Boston, and is bound to that place.

ODD FELLOWS' ANNIVERSARY

Joint Committee in Session Last Night—Grand Master Williams Invited to Make Address—Sub-Committees.

At an enthusiastic meeting last night of the joint committee from the four Wilmington lodges of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, appointed for the purpose of arranging for the celebration of the 91st anniversary of the founding of the order in the United States, various sub-committees to have in charge of the several departments of the arrangements were appointed, an invitation was extended to Grand Master P. H. Williams, of Elizabeth City, to deliver the address on that occasion and other business in connection with the observance of the anniversary was transacted.

The committee met in the Odd Fellows' building and organized by electing Mr. J. W. Robinson chairman and Mr. John E. Wood, secretary. The anniversary will fall on April 26th and it was decided to have a public celebration of the anniversary in the Academy of Music. After discussing the various features of a tentative programme, it was decided to extend an invitation to the Grand Master as orator of the occasion and this was telegraphed to him last night. It is hoped to have his aceptance within a few days. The following sub-committees were appointed:

Hall—John E. Wood, T. G. Landen and J. W. Overby.

Decorations—G. D. Bradshaw, L. D. Latta, J. T. Riley.

Music—H. S. McGirt, C. Y. Devaun, W. P. Farrow.

Programme—J. T. Riley, H. O Craig, H. S. McGirt.

The programme will be announced in due time with other information in regard to the observance.

BRITISH STEAMER ASHORE.

Stowford on Beach Three Miles From Cape Fear Bar—Fertilizers.

The Wilmington tugs Sea King, Capt. Edgar D. Williams, and Blanche, Capt. John S. Sellers, left Wilmington at 9 o'clock last night to the assistance of the British steamer Stowford, 1,848 tons, bound from St. Lucia to Wilmington with cargo of 4,400 tons of nitrate of soda for W. R. Grace & Co., which is reported to have gone ashore on the beach three miles from the Cape Fear bar at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The tugs expected to reach the steamer by midnight and to begin pulling on her at high water this morning at 4 o'clock. While nothing is known as to the position of the steamer, it is thought that she is in no immediate danger. The cause of the grounding of the steamer is not known unless the weather was very foggy off the coast and she lost her course. The news of the grounding of the steamer was brought to Southport by a pilot boat's crew and the tugs were summoned by telephone from Wilmington by Mr. T. G. O'Neill, manager for Grace & Co., here, who is at Southport and expected to accompany the tugs this morning. It is expected that the vessel will be floated without difficulty, though she went ashore on high water and is said to be hard and fast.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Winner Case Continued Until Friday. Other Cases Heard.

The case against M. L. Winner, charged with violating the prohibition law, was called in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, but was continued until Friday owing to the fact that County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, who will prosecute, and L. Clayton Grant, who will defend, were engaged in the Superior Court. John Walker, colored, who accidentally shot another negro at Almont factory some days ago, was tried on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, and fined $15 and costs, which he paid. Ed Stoveall, Warren Dixon, Richard Gause, Clarence Williams and Bertha Gause, colored, were tried on the charge of gambling. They were arrested by Officers Frank George and Hall at the home of Bertha Gause in Brook's alley. Stoveall said that Officer Hall shot at him several times and exhibited several bullet holes in his coat and also showed where one bullet grazed his wrist. Stoveall and Dixon were required to pay the costs in the cases against them, while the other defendants were discharged.

HANOVER SEASIDE CLUB.

Enthusiastic Annual Meeting Last Night—Officers Elected.

In the Howard Relief club rooms last night there was a well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Hanover Seaside Club. Officers for the ensuing year were elected and plans laid for one of the most successful seasons in the history of the organization. The officers elected are:

President—M. Schnibben.

Vice President—F. A. Bissinger.

Secretary and Treasurer—J. W. H. Fuchs.

Executive Committee—J. G. L. Gieschen, H. T. Duls, M. G. Tiencken, and C. P. B. Mahler.

The executive committee will have charge of a number of very decided improvements to the club house property on the beach in anticipation of the season. The House Committee will be appointed later and will at once map out plans for a brilliant season, the outlook for which was never brighter.

The Sound Sleep of Good Health.

The restorative power of sound sleep can not be over estimated and any ailment that prevents it is a menace to health. J. L. Southers, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "For a long time I have been unable to sleep soundly nights, because of pains across my back and soreness of my kidneys. My appetite was very poor and my general condition was much run down. I have been taking Foley's Kidney Pills but a short time and now sleep as sound as a rock. I eat and enjoy my means, and my general condition is greatly improved. I can honestly recommend Foley's Kidney Pills as I know they have cured me."—Robert R. Bellamy.

ENGINEERS REACH AGREEMENT

Committee of Adjustment of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers Leave After Satisfactory Conference With A. C. L.

Having satisfactorily and quite amicably arranged all matters of difference, both as to wage scale and conditions of employment, with officials of the company at headquarters here, members of the General Committee of Adjustment of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, embracing all divisions of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad from Richmond, Va., to Tampa, Fla., who have been here the past six weeks or longer in almost daily conference, left yesterday afternoon for their homes at different points along the system.

The agreement reached is for two years and while nothing official is given out by either side, it is understood that the engineers were granted a substantial increase in their wage scale, varying according to service, of course, and that all grievances as to conditions were satisfactorily adjusted. Members of the committee left the city, expressing only the kindliest feeling toward the company and appreciation of the liberal and generous treatment which they received while here. This was the biennial meeting of the General Committee and at this meeting was the annual election of officers and members of the committee embracing all divisions of the system. For General Chairman, F. D. Howard, of High Springs, Fla., was elected; Vice Chairman, Geo. W. Laughlin, of Florence, and General Secretary and Treasurer, J. M. Donlan, of Wilmington, a post which he has held with the General Committee for many years. The new committee as constituted at the meeting this year is composed of the officers named and Messrs. T. D. O'Neill, Savannah; C. W. Davis, Jacksonville; R. E. Bulluck, Rocky Mount, A. B. Moore, Montgomery; A. C. Atkins, Manchester, Va.; F. T. Beasley, Portsmouth; G. W. Barnes, Waycross; J. D. White, Brunswick; E. W. Roland, Sanford, Fla. Unless some emergency arises, there will not be another meeting of the general committee for two years, the routine business being transacted by the executive officers of the committee.

CAPT. QUILLEN'S ARRIVAL.

Master of Lost Schooner Given Warm Welcome in Maryland.

Capt. William J. Quillen, of the schooner Herbert D. Maxwell now in port, received a telegram yesterday from New York stating that his son, Capt. Reuben Quillen, master of the ill-fated schooner Edgar C. Ross, had arrived in New York from Buenos Ayres, after a long absence, a portion of which time it was thought he had been lost.

He came home with his crew on a schooner sailing from Beunos Ayres to New York and it was stated in the message received by Capt. Quillen that the steamer was met by a tug, elaborately decorated, which had been sent out by the home folks in Maryland to receive them. Last night at his home in Maryland he was tendered a reception by the people of the little town, and during yesterday a banner floated across one of the principal streets, bearing the words, "Welcome, Lost Ones."

Capt. Reuben Quillen is well known here, having been trading with the schooner Edgar C. Ross to this port for several years. During the severe weather in December his schooner was lost and from the length of time it required for him to reach Beunos Ayres it is presumed that he was taken off by a sailing vessel.

COUNTY RURAL SCHOOLS.

Many Decide to Continue for Eight Months—Reports.

From the reports received at the office of Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of public instruction, a large number of rural schools have decided to accept the proposition of the County Board of Education for an eight months' term The reports also show that the attendance is holding up well at all the schools taking the additional month.

The following are the schools that have accepted the eight months' term: No. 3, Myrtle Grove, both white and colored; No. 4, Masonboro, colored; No. 10, Castle Haynes, both white and colored; No. 6, Acorn Branch, colored; No. 13, Middle Sound, both white and colored; No. 11, Scott's Hill, white; No. 5, Wrightsville, both white and colored; No. 9, Carolina Beach, colored. No 15, Delgado, has had an eight months' term for some time and is also still in session. No. 12, Wrightsboro, did not get started until late in the Fall and will not therefore have an eight months' term, but will continue until the latter part of the month, when the other schools of the county will close.

PREPARING FOR REVIVAL.

Series of Meetings to Begin at Christian Advent Church Soon.

The Fourth Street Advent Christian Church is preparing for a series of special revival services, which will begin Tuesday, April 12th, and continue for two weeks. In holding these meetings the church is carrying out a plan had in mind ever since the completion of the new church building. Rev. H. V. Skipper, of Florida, one of the best known and most successful evangelists of the Advent Christian denomination, is to conduct these services. Further announcements will be made later.

Rev. A. McFayden Here.

Rev. A. McFayden, pastor of the Clarkton Presbyterian church, was a visitor to the city yesterday on his way to Pike, where today he will attend a meeting of Wilmington Presbytery, of which he is secretary. Yesterday afternoon he called upon Mayor Walter G. MacRae, whom he had not seen since the Civil War. Mr. McFadyen and Mayor MacRae were members of Company A. Fifth North Carolina Cavalry and belonged to the same mess, No. 5. The two men were glad to see each other again and talked over many incidents of the war.

MR. R. C. CANTWELL ELECTED

Will Succeed Col. Wm. F. Robertson as Superintendent of City Water Works and Sewerage Systems—Begins April 1st.

At a special meeting of the Water and Sewerage Commission of the city Monday night, Chairman Worth presiding and Messrs. Jacobi and Perdew in attendance, Mr. R. C. Cantwell, of Wilmington, was elected superintendent of the two systems in charge of the commission at a salary of $1,500 per year, succeeding Col. Wm. F. Robertson, who leaves the middle of the month for his new home in Chattanooga, Tenn.

It is believed that the selection of Mr. Cantwell to succeed Col. Robertson will give general satisfaction as he is a man of experience not only in waterworks accounting, having been bookkeeper for the board of directors of the old Clarendon Water Works Co., for a number of years, but being also a practical man in the handling of outside affairs. He has been in the lumber business for a long while and has executive ability in the handling of situations that the presented in practical everyday life. Mr. Cantwell will spend a part of each day until April 15th, acquainting himself more thoroughly with the routine of the office, taking full charge upon the departure of Col. Robertson the middle of the month. The Commission is understood to have had a large number of applications for the position and to have settled on Mr. Cantwell after a careful consideration of each applicant and his peculiar fitness for the position.

AUDIT AND FINANCE BOARD.

No Quorum Last Night—Financial Statements Prepared for Body.

Chairman Heyer and Capt. Jesse Wilder being the only members in attendance, the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance had to be postponed last night on account of the lack of a quorum. The meeting was an important one as several matters pertaining to the finances of the city had been presented by Capt. T. D. Meares to members of the Board. One of these was a statement of the audit of the books of the Water and Sewerage Commission for the past fiscal year showing receipts and disbursements for the four quarters in detail as follows:

Receipts—Quarter ending June 30th, $6,617.05; ending Sept. 30th, $8,608.51; ending December 31st, $8,699.94; ending March 31st, $9,131.09. Total, $32,056.59. The disubrsements were as follows: Quarter ending June 30th, construction $542.39, maintenance $4,490.69, total $8,033.08; quarter ending Sept. 30th, construction $1,428 69, maintenance $5,310.23, total $6,738.92; quarter ending Dec. 31st, construction, $1,083.57, maintenance $4,990.78, total $6,074.35; quarter ending March 31st, construction $2,870.78, maintenance $5,146.65, total $8,016.93. With total receipts of $33,056.59 and disbursements of $28,863.28, it will be seen that the earnings for the year are $7,193.31, which is about the amount the city pays to the commission as allowance for hydrant rental. Of course, a much larger return is expected when the new enlarged system is fully installed.

The clerk also furnished members of the Board with a report of the audit of disbursements of the proceeds of bonds sold for construction of the new system. This shows total disbursements to April 1st of $244,218.71 of which $140,000 was for the purchase of the old plant, $81,339.16 to construction account; $5,128.63 for engineers' service; $363.00 advertising and printing; $500 purchase of land and $16,887.92 in coupons paid, the latter, however, being offset by $19,051.77 interest collected. The total proceeds of the bonds sold were $413,272, which leaves a balance of $188,105.08 on hand April 1st.

The statement of the general funds of the city show $48,435.29 on hand april 1st against $57,739.14 on hand at the beginning of the new fiscal year on June 1st, 1909. The real estate and personal property tax collections to April 1st were $130,562.07 as compared with $146,930.07 during the same period last year; back taxes $2,640.59 against only $1,544.64 last year; merchants' license $21,281.04 against $18,442.50 last year; near-beer license, $6,500 against $21,060 liquor license part of the previous fiscal year, while other items remain practically the same.

BAKING CONTEST.

At Elks' Temple This Afternoon Under Auspices of Sorosis.

The ladies of Sorosis are anxious to again remind their many friends that today is the date fixed for the baking contest at the Elks' Temple. Twenty prizes worth having are to be awarded 20 housekeepers, who have taken pride enough in domestic affairs to attain that state of proficiency that justifies them in competing for the prizes. The competitors are reminded to have the articles delivered at the Elks' Temple by 3 o'clock. At 4 there will be a lecture on Domestic Science and the judges will decide who the winners are. At 7:30 this evening the Sorosis will tender to the public a social reception and as the cakes, pies, etc., are to be sold at auction they call on the men of Wilmington to go and lend their cordial assistance.

Mr. S. W. Sanders has been authorized by the New Orleans Coffee Co., to supply the ladies on this occasion with their famous "Morning Joy" brand and he will also furnish the delicious Lipton's teas. A most enjoyable evening is assured.

Death of Infant.

Many friends of Policeman and Mrs. W. D. McGrew will deeply sympathize with them in the death of their infant child, which occurred early yesterday morning. The funeral services will be held from the residence, on North Fourth street, this morning, conducted by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, and the interment will be at Acorn Branch Church in the county.

What you may have been calling the "good fortune in business affairs" of someone you know may be simply the courage to advertise.

ITS THIRD MONTHLY BANQUET

Illuminating Discussion of Bonded Warehouses by Members of the Commercial Club Around Festive Board.

The advantages of bonded warehouses was the particular subject for consideration at the third monthly banquet of the Commercial Club in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last night and it was the opinion of all who took part in the discussion that this city, a port of entry, should have this very important facility. As a result of an illuminating discussion of the subject, it is quite probable that a movement will be set on foot within a few days looking to the erection of a large warehouse to embrace this feature.

There were present between 75 and 100 representative business men. The young men were especially well represented. After the service of a delightful menu, President C. N. Evans stated that the matter of a bonded warehouse had been discussed at different times, but there had not been a full understanding of the functions of a warehouse, therefore the Commercial Club had received data from Savannah, Richmond, Lynchburg and other points and had also requested Mr. C. C. Covington, already familiar with the subject, to make some further investigations and address the club at this meeting. Mr. Covington, who is probably the largest individual molasses importer in the South, was then presented.

Mr. Covington said that he felt more like asking for information than attempting to enlighten the body on the subject, but as the president had made the request he would give what information he had secured. In beginning he spoke of the customs house and duties of the collector and stated that the government was not supposed to have a storage place, trusting to private corporations to provide this facility and here, he said, was where the bonded warehouse came in. The bonded warehouse is not different from any other warehouse except that it must be under the supervision of the government and in charge of the collector of customs as custodian. He said that a small part of a building may be partitioned off and used for the purpose. A person may store his goods in a bonded warehouse and take as much as three years time to withdraw the cargo if desired. Mr. Covington said that one could readily see how it would affect the small dealer. When the goods are stored in a bonded warehouse a negotiable receipt is given. The receipt is regarded by banks as gilt-edged security and a person may borrow money on it from the banking institutions, thus enabling a dealer to have on hand at all times a full stock. He was certain that a warehouse would pay big dividends to the stockholders. His idea was not only to establish a bonded warehouse but a general warehouse, which would provide for the storage of goods here for merchants in any part of the State to be shipped out as ordered. He read a pamphlet received from Norfolk, Va., setting forth the advantages of a bonded warehouse there and then read some arguments from a Baltimore pamphlet. Mr. Covington said that bonded warehouses in Baltimore started from one insignificant looking building to six immense buildings, and was certain that the growth in Wilmington would be very rapid. He also read a pamphlet issued in St. Louis showing the warehouse plan in vogue there and the mass of data given was enlightening. Mr. Covington said that a bonded warehouse here would mean a saving in freight rates, that it would put the business men closer to the trade, frequently saving five or six days by having the goods here in storage; that it would prevent substitution and would furnish the travelling men a good argument for patronizing Wilmington houses. As to the cost of storage, he read figures from the St. Louis pamphlet and also stated that it was less in Boston than ordinary storage room. Mr. Covington referred to the glorious history of the Cape Fear section and said that one could go back into ancient history of commerce and get some wholesome lessons and also that there are valuable lessons in war history. In conclusion he said that if the Commercial Club would catch the spirit of the fathers, a free ferry will be established, a 30-foot channel secured, lower freight rates obtained and a bonded warehouse established.

Data From Other Points.

President Evans emphasized the fact that a bonded warehouse not only provides a place for general storage, but will enable small merchants to keep a large stock of goods at their command without having to give a mortgage. In reply to letters of inquiry sent to banks at Savannah, Ga., Norfolk, Va., Richmond, Va., and Lynchburg, Va., Mr. Evans had received a mass of data relative to the value of bonded warehouses, all of which he read to the banqueters, and they listened with evident interest. President Evans said that if it became known throughout this territory that Wilmington had a bonded warehouse and was prepared to take care of the business that much of the goods now being detoured would come through this port, besides it would enable the local merchants to carry a larger stock of goods. He stated that it was well understood that the club was not promoting anything, but merely took up such questions for discussion. He called upon Mr. W. H. Sprunt for an address.

Mr. Sprunt stated that he was connected with the Champion Compress, which is usually crowded with cotton and outside business is not sought. He referred to the Wilmington Compress and Warehouse Company just above the Champion warehouse, which does a general storage business, and said Mr. H. G. Smallbones could tell something about it. Mr. Smallbones said the warehouse was used mostly for storage of fertilizers and not until this year was merchandise accepted for storage. He said that the regular receipts were issued and these were negotiable at banks. He thought that a general warehouse would prove a successful business venture here. Mr. Evans said that he did not know that Wilmington had this facility and was certain that many persons would learn of it with interest. Mr. R. A. Parsley was called upon, but stated that he had rather listen than to talk.

Mr. Malcolm McKinzie was asked to make some remarks on the subject and he spoke very interesting of the advantages of a bonded warehouse. He was surprised that Wilmington did not have this facility at present. The figures recently published relative to this city as a port made a fine showing for Wilmington. He thought that Wilmington ought to grow faster and mentioned the importance of unity of action. He considered the railroad facilities good and being a seaport, Wilmington certainly ought to have bonded warehouses.

Mr. M. W. Jacobi made one of the most interesting and stirring addresses of the evening. He is a splendid speaker and can upon a moment's notice entertain a gathering for hours with facts concerning Wilmington. When he had concluded last night President Evans said he had never heard a better address in the rooms of the Chamber. Mr. Jacobi started out by speaking of the development of the bonded warehouses in Savannah, Ga., and of the expansion of the trade and declared that the same thing could be accomplished in Wilmington. He saw no reason why Wilmington should not handle the business of North Carolina. "Wilmington has grown in spite of ourselves," said Mr. Jacobi. "We are not making full use of our opportunities. The people are about half asleep." Mr. Jacobi said that he was a firm believer in the future of Wilmington and had great confidence in the citizenship and banking facilities. He said that there was undoubtedly profit in the warehouse business and that Wilmington could start in a small way and build up as other towns have done. He said the trouble in Wilmington was the selection of wrong men to manage enterprises; that if an investigation was made it

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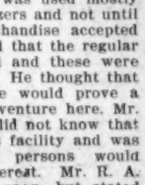

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THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

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Annual Meeting

Please take notice that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK, of Wilmington, N. C., for the election of directors, and for such other business as may properly be presented, will be held at their banking house, at Front and Princess Streets, on TUESDAY, APRIL 12th, at 4:00 P. M.

F. W. Dick, Cashier

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mrs. M. E. Pugh and granddaughter, Miss Mary Katherine Wooten, of Kinston, left yesterday morning on a visit to Savannah, Ga.

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Ensign Louis P. Davis, United States Navy, is here to spend a month's leave of absence at the home of his father, Mr. Junius Davis.

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The woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

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Mrs. John W. Helbig and children, of Denver, Colorado, arrived yesterday and will spend some time with Mrs. Helbig's father, Capt. John H. Hanby, who, friends will regret to know, remains quite sick at his home on Wrightsville Sound.

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The executive committee of the National organization of the Society of the Colonial Dames of America is in session this week at Wilmington, Delaware, getting matters in shape for the general meeting to be held in Washington, D. C., some time soon. Mrs. Edmund L. Prince, of this city, is representing North Carolina at the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jos. B. Fox, who left Monday evening on the northbound train for their wedding trip North, will not return to this city to make their home as was erroneously stated in yesterday's paper. Mr. Fox has taken a good position with the Westinghouse Electric Company and, with his bride, will make their home North in the future, but friends hope that they will visit the home of the bride here often.

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Whiteville, N. C., April 5.—Mrs. J. Z. Mims has returned to Whiteville to become associated with her father, Editor Gantt, on the staff of Columbus county's great weekly, "The News Reporter." Mrs. Mims is very popular in Whiteville, having made many friends during her connection with the paper last year. She has a genial disposition and is a very capable young newspaper woman. She is most cordially welcomed back and will have entire charge of the local department.

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Friends in the city have received announcements of the engagement of Mr. Walter Hoge McIntyre, a popular Wilmington boy, who is now professor of chemistry in the faculty of the Pennsylvania State College, and Miss Edna Meyer, a daughter of Hon. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer, of Pennsylvania. The date of the approaching wedding is not given. Mr. McIntyre is one of the brightest of the young Wilmingtonians who have attained a high degree of success elsewhere and his friends will congratulate him upon this more recent announcement of his good fortune.

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Mr. Alfred V. Wood, formerly of Wilmington but now a prominent citizen of Brunswick, Ga., is spending a few days in Wilmington with relatives and friends. Mr. Wood was born and reared in Wilmington and lived here until about 30 years ago when he went to Brunswick, Ga., and for some years before he left was associated in business with Mr. W. H. Sprunt. He is an uncle of Dr. E. J. Wood, of this city. Mr. Wood is most pleasantly remembered here by many friends, who have been delighted to see him here again.

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Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington schools, has returned from a very pleasant visit to Chapel Hill. He found all of the New Hanover colony at the University doing exceedingly well and taking a high stand both in scholarship and deportment. Among the number are Ferdinand Duls, William Parsley, Harry Solomon, R. W. Strange, Robert Strange, Jr., George Carmichael, Nicholas Post, Clem Brown, Merrill Blair, Earle Croswell, David Murchison, David Struthers, Adrian Rhodes, Hal Boatwright, Spencer Nichols, Louis Belden, Jr., George Meares, Emmet Bellamy, James Orr and others.

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BEN GREET PLAYERS COMING THIS WEEK.

Welcome news is brought in the announcement that Ben Greet's talented company of players will give two of Shakespeare's plays here on the grounds of the Wilmington High School on the 18th of April. They will be strictly "under the greenwood tree" affairs, with all the charm which natural beauty and simplicity of environment can give. "As You Like It" will be given in the afternoon and "Mid-Summer Night's Dream" at night. In the event of inclement weather the programmes will be given in the Auditorium of Union School.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, arrived last night on a business trip.

—Mr. O. F. Justice, of Snead's Ferry, N. C., was among last evening's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. T. H. Williams, of Cronly, N C., was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. R. C. Applewhite, of Cronly, was among yesterday's business visitors in the city.

—Mr. J. D. Parker, of Haw's Run, Onslow county, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Bishop Strange, of this city, has accepted an invitation to deliver the annual address at the closing of the Fayetteville city schools on May 17th.

—Col. E. M. Koonce and little son, Chas. Duffy, and Mr. Geo. A. Hurst and little son, George B., of Jacksonville, Onslow county, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday and will spend a day or two here.

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would be found that the unsuccessful enterprises had not selected the proper men to manage their affairs. For instance, there was at one time a plant here making veneer dishes and had as manager a peanut. Mr. Jacobi referred to the Seaboard terminals as a great step forward—the greatest in years and will mean much to the development of Wilmington. He said that the Seaboard had done more in the way of development than any other road that ever entered Wilmington.

President Evans stated that he had received a request that the Commercial Club endorse a movement for another train on the A. & Y. The gentlemen interested had been invited to the banquet, but were not present. Mr. L. B. Rogers was then called upon. He spoke of the bonded warehouse as being a big saving in the matter of insurance and also expressed the belief that the warehouse would be extensively used for outside firms now using Savannah, Ga., and other places as distributing points. With reference to passenger service he said that the additional train could be secured if the people would go after it. He said that many people living within 15 or 20 miles of Wilmington on the A. & Y. go to Fayetteville to do their trading because they can make the trip in one day. He also brought to the attention of the body the importance of an uptown ticket office, and declared that this would be given if the proper effort was made.

President Evans announced that the club was very fortunate in having present a former resident of the city, who is now one of the most prominent citizens of Brunswick, Ga., Mr. Alfred V. Wood, whom he introduced. Mr. W. H. Sprunt said that he desired to say a word before Mr. Wood arose. Mr. Sprunt explained that Mr. Wood was one of the old timers, though he did not look it, and was in business in Wilmington 30 years ago. He was in business with Mr. Sprunt, who said that he would always remember with pleasure his connection with Mr. Wood. He said that it was a great loss to Wilmington and a great gain to Brunswick, Ga., when Mr. Wood removed. Mr. Wood responded in a delightful short address. He said that while he was a Brunswickite by location, he had always been a North Carolinian and Wilmingtonian and always held up Wilmington as being a city that did the right thing at the right time. This was his first visit here in 15 years and he was very much gratified at the growth of the city. In fact, he said it was necessary for him to stop frequently and get his bearings while walking around the city. He said that these changes could not have been had not the people of Wilmington been thoroughly alive. He wanted to say that when any question of improvement comes up in his home town he uses Wilmington material and that he was going back and try to inoculate the people of Brunswick with Wilmington municipal management.

Mr. C. N. Evans announced that at the next meeting a vice president to succeed Mr. R. L. Boyd would be elected.

Mr. W. L. Williford called to the attention of the body the fact that a Savannah firm is using one of the Seaboard warehouses for storage of salt and making Wilmington its distributing center for this section. Mr. E. M. Beery said that he was certain a better insurance rate could be secured if a bonded warehouse were erected. Messrs. Gilbert Foard, E. Norfleet, J. S. Funchess and Louis Hall made very interesting talks relative to bonded warehouses and the manifold opportunities of Wilmington after which the affair came to a close.

Those present were Messrs B. A. Merritt, J. S. McEachern, L. B. Rogers, James M. Hall, E. M. Beery, Malcolm McKenzie, J. S. Funchess, H. F. Wilder, W. R. Middleton, W. G. Sale, D. R. Foster, Louis T. Moore, James Owen Reilly, C. L. Meister, M. W. Jacobi, John J. Blair, J. L. Williams, John S. Ramos, R. C. DeRosset, E. Norfleet, F. A. Thompson, H. G. Walsh, Walker Taylor, J. H. James, John R. Hanby, W. W. Koch, G. T. Flynn, John Wannamaker, A. L. Price, H. McA. Rose, H. G. Foard, W. B. Thorpe, F. E. Hashagen, W. E. Fox, D. M. Carroll, W. D. McMillan, Jr., James J. Allen, H. L. Hunt, Louis E. Hall, H. deW. Rapalje J. B. Fenley, R. A. Parsley, J. F. Roach, J. VanB. Metts, W. E. Perdew, John R. Murchison, C. C. Covington, W. L. Williford, C. N. Evans, T. W. Clawson, J. H. Rehder, Boyd Parker, Carl B. Rehder, A. G. Bowden, J. S. Brown, R. A. Wright, J. L. Toon, R. H. Northrop, H. G. Smallbones, W. H. Montgomery, Alfred V. Wood, of Brunswick, Ga., D. M. Gregg, W. J. Bergen, B. H. Bryan, W. H. Sprunt, I. W. Cooper, D. O. Westbrook, J. A. McGeachy and W. E. Lawson.

MUST STAY OFF STREETS.

Women of Underworld Notified by Police—Two Arrested.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen Monday night to the effect that the women of the underworld, both white and colored, must stay at home or leave the city, Chief of Police N. J. Williams yesterday served notice on the women. In consequence of the action of the Aldermen, Mollie McCoy, colored, was arrested on Chesnut, between 11th and 12th streets, last night by Mounted Officer Frank George. A charge of vagrancy has been entered against her. Hattie Howell, a white woman, who has been living on 12th, between Princess and Chesnut streets, was arrested on a warrant charging her with vagrancy. The warrant was signed by Sergeant E. J. Grimsley and was sworn out on information and belief. She was unable to give bond.

TEN NEW MEMBERS W. L. I.

Elected at a Special Meeting Last Night—To Give Smoker.

At a special meeting of the W. L. I. last night 10 new members were received into the organization and other matters of importance were transacted. The committee appointed at the last meeting to arrange for a smoker reported that Wednesday night, April 13th, had been selected as the date for the event, which will be given in the armory. The committee is making very elaborate preparations for the function, further announcement of which will be made later. The W. L. I. is also making ready for the annual inspection by an artillery officer Thursday night of this week.

Theatrical.

Norwood, the hypnotist, was again the attraction at popular prices at the Academy of Music last night and was greeted by a fairly large audience who seemed to enjoy the various features of the performance. Seats for tonight's engagement are now selling at the Crystal Palace.

Crystal Palace.

Little Baby Esmonds is the ruling favorite at the Crystal Palace this week, and that is saying much, because the bill the present week is an exceptionally big and clever one. There are four big acts and each is a feature in itself. However, Baby Esmonds is the particular "it" of the offering, and has been pronounced by the fair femininity to be "just too cute and charming for anything." Baby Esmonds is not only a pretty, dainty little miss, but she is decidedly artistic in her work. She sings well, unusually well for a child artist, dances splendidly and tells jokes like a veteran. In some of her clever work she is assisted by her mother, Flora Esmonds, who is charming. Verne, the "clown with the funny laugh", is another big favorite, although Miss Marie Maxine, soubrette, and Mr. Aruthur Bell, novelty ventriloquist, come in for big praise.

"The Land of Nod."

Samuel E. Rork's original company in the brilliant musical extravaganza "The Land of Nod", will be the attraction at the Academy of Music on next Tuesday, April 12th. The production is said to be very beautiful and massive, and one of the largest organizations of this character ever sent on tour. The cast is headed by Knox Wilson, who will be seen in his original part of "April Fool." Prominent in the cast are Neil McNeil and Anna McNabb, who have made hits here before in other big musical productions. The chorus is unusually large and includes some very beautiful girls.

University Glee Club.

Friday evening of this week is the day for the appearance in Wilmington of the University Glee Club and Orchestra and the occasion is being looked forward to with much pleasure by the alumni of that institution and the public generally. The prices will be 50 and 75 cents and $1 and the sale of seats will begin at the Crystal Palace Friday morning. The faculty committee on music, composed of such musical connoisseurs as Dr. Chas. S. Mangum and Dr. Chas. H. Herty, sat in critical judgment upon a recent performance of the club and expressed themselves as delighted with the performance and predicted a triumphal tour through Eastern North Carolina. With the backing of such critics and with several splendid successes already to their credit the Glee Club and Orchestra are encouraged and determined to surpass even these past attainments through this section of the State.

At the Bijou Today.

The "Twelfth Night" is the title of the feature picture at the Bijou today. It is a Shakespearean comedy-drama presenting the beautiful tale of the pure and unselfish love of youth, incidentally introducing a most subtle vein of humor.

ABANDONMENT CHARGED.

J. T. Bryant, White Man, Brought Here From Hamlet, N. C.

On the early morning train today Constable Savage brought from Hamlet, N. C., J. T. Bryant, a young white man arrested night before last in that town on a warrant from Recorder John J. Furlong, of this county, charging him with abandonment and non-support of his wife, Mrs. A. Bryant, who has been employed at the Wilmington Steam Laundry. It is stated that the prosecution will contend that Bryant abandoned his wife and children some two years ago. Bryant was lodged in jail last night and will probably be given trial before the Recorder today.

Why does Great Britian buy its oatmeal of us?

Certainly it seems like carrying coals to Newcastle to speak of exporting oatmeal to Scotland and yet, every year the Quaker Oats Company sends hundreds of thousands of cases of Quaker Oats to Great Britian and Europe.

The reason is simple; while the English and Scotch have for centuries eaten oatmeal in quantities and with a regularity that has made them the most rugged physically, and active mentally of all people, the American has been eating oatmeal and trying all the time to improve the methods of manufacture so that he might get that desirable foreign trade.

How well he has succeeded would be seen at a glance at the export reports on Quaker Oats. This brand is without a rival; is packed in regular packages, and in hermetically sealed tins for hot climates. 51

LOCAL DOTS.

—The German steamer Hans Leonhardt, Capt. Lemke, cleared light yesterday for Pensacola, Fla., where she will receive cargo of lumber for foreign export.

—The schooner Mary L. Baxter, Capt. Dow, arrived yesterday from Baltimore with cargo of acid phosphate for the Swift Fertilizer Works; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

—Rev. Dr. E. T. Carter, of Mount Airy, who is conducting the revival at Southside Baptist Church, will make an address at the A. C. L. shops today at 12:20 P. M., under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

—Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, is among the Wilmington people attending the joint meeting of the boards of education of the North Carolina and Western North Carolina Conferences of M. E. Church, South, in session in Greensboro.

—Members of Grace Methodist Church and others who attend the mid-week prayer services will learn with interest that the feature of tonight's service will be an address by Miss Anderson, the accomplished pianist of the Torrey party. Miss Anderson will be here until tomorrow, when she leaves to join other members of the party in Texas.

—The personal work class conducted by Rev. W. S. Jacoby during the Torrey meetings met at the Y. M. C. A. from 1:05 to 1:30 P. M. yesterday with 42 members present. The meeting was conducted by Rev. Dr. H. H. Hulten, of Charlotte, who made a splendid address. Meetings will be held every Tuesday at 1:05 to 1:30 P. M. for the next four weeks.

—The Salvation Army Week of Self-Denial is announced to commence on Sunday, April 10th, and continue to Sunday, April 17th, and will be observed by the local post, Ensign and Mrs. Williams in charge. During this period a special effort is made to raise money to carry on the work of the organization. Mr. Williams left yesterday afternoon for Lumberton in the interest of Self-Denial week.

—An addition is being built to the Clyde Line wharf at the foot of Grace street for the purpose of extending a railroad track across to the edge of the wharf which will allow cargoes to be transferred without the present difficulty. The work has been in progress for several days and the addition to the wharf is being built by the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Company. The work of driving the piling is about finished and within a few days the track will be laid.

COLLEGE GAMES YESTERDAY.

LaFayette Wins From Virginia—V. P. I. Also the Winner.

Charlottesville, Va., April 5.—LaFayette, 4; University of Virginia, 2.

At Richmond—Brooklyn Nats., 6; Richmond, 1.

At Spartanburg—Rochester, 5; Spartanburg, 2.

At Winston-Salem—New York Amn. 14; Winston-Salem, 5.

At Blacksburg, Va.—V. P. I., 7, Randolph-Macon, 2.

The messages from the merchants are always interesting—and usually affect the "state of your purse."

THREE BAPTIST REVIVALS

Meetings Being Largely Attended and Great Interest Shown.

Following up the work begun during the great Torrey evangelistic campaign, revivals are being held this week in the three Wilmington Baptist churches. The meetings are increasing in interest and attendance and many new members are being received in the churches.

Rev. Dr. H. H. Hulten, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Charlotte, and one of the ablest and most powerful preachers in the State, is doing the preaching at the First Baptist Church. Last night he preached a strong and eloquent sermon on "Journeying Without Jesus," at the conclusion of which a number of new members were received into the church. Services will be held every night through the week, beginning at 8 oclock, except Saturday night. Sunday morning the following newly elected deacons will be ordained, Dr. Hulten preaching the ordination sermon: Messrs. C. C. Brown, D. H. Penton, J. H. Taylor, Jr., C. B. Newcombe, L. F. Gore and r. W. T. Smith. r. Hulten will preach again Sunday night, the service beginning at 7:30 oclock.

At Brooklyn Baptist church last night Rev. R. E. Peele, of Burgaw, formerly pastor of the Brooklyn Church, who is assisting the pastor, preached a very fine sermon on "Jesus and Salvation." at the conclusion of which one person united with the church. There will be preaching tonight at 7:45 o'clock. The attendance last night was large and much interest was manifested. At 10 o'clock this morning an open air meeting will be held at corner of Fourth and Campbell streets and at 3:30 P. M. a cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. J. W. Holmes, corner of Fifth and Harnett streets.

Services at Southside Baptist church last night were largely attended and at the conclusion of a stirring sermon by Rev. Dr. E. T. Carter of Mount Airy, four persons were received into the church. Dr. Carter had as his subject last night, "The Kingdom," and he handled his theme in a most able manner. At 7 oclock a well attended open air meeting was held at Fifth and Castle streets and a number of persons indicated by raising their hands that they desired to live a better life. There will be services at the church at 3:30 this afternoon and at 7 o'clock tonight there will be an open air meeting at Third and Castle streets, followed by a half hour song service at the church. The preaching service begins at 8 P. M.

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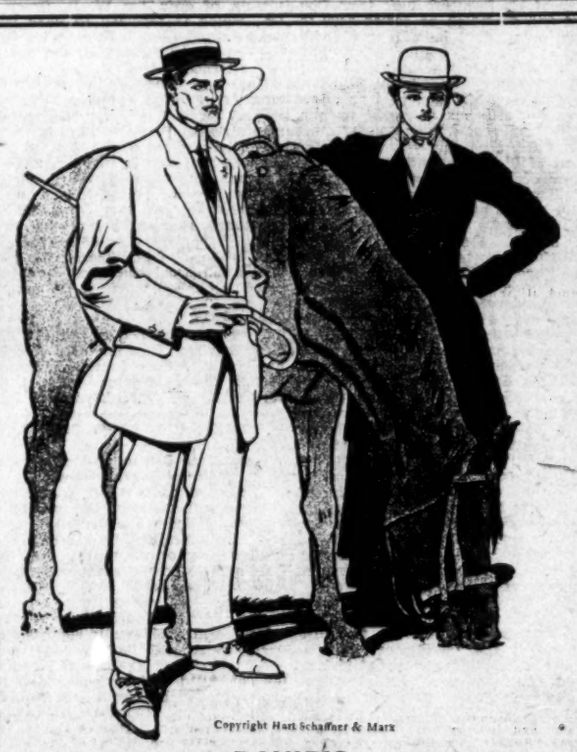

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	12
Rosin	76
Tar	91
Crude turpentine	36

Receipts, same day last year 2 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels rosin; 64 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nothing doing. Quotations corresponding day last year 8 9-16c.

Receipts—614 bales, same day last year 623 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith April 2nd.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Parish $1.40 and $1.50, and $1.50.

CORN—Firm 90@95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; old hams 20; shoulders 12 to 14c; sides 13c.

EGGS—19 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 20@30; grown 45@50 scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 3 and 4 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 14c; green 8c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 60c. per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c.; free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50@55 per head.

PORK—Small corn fed 10; large 9c., owing to quality.

SHEEP—Old no demand; Lambs, dull no sales.

TURKEYS—Good demand 15@16c on foot; dressed 18@22c.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.75.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, April 5.—There was a big break in the cotton market today under general selling with May contracts declining to 13.39, or 51 points under the closing figures of yesterday. The close was steady at quite a sharp rally from the lowest, but at a net loss of 42 to 29 points.

The market opened easy at a decline of 7 to 14 points, under a renewal of yesterday's late selling movement and in response to weak cables. At first leading spot interests and the New Orleans bull leaders gave the market support and prices rallied slightly but offerings increased and the pressure proved irresistable. The demand was chiefly withdrawn and the market soon became as nervous and excited as it had been during the early stages of the break of last January. After selling off to 14.12 for May and 12.27 for October during the early afternoon there was quick rally of about 20 points on covering but on this bulge it looked as though the remnant of some big long line was coming on the market and a little late May sold at 13.99, July at 13.92, and October at 12.25, or 35 to 51 points net lower. At this level there was a big demand from shorts and trade interests, part of which seemed to be coming from Liverpool and prices in the last few minutes rallied smartly with May closing at 14.23 and July at 14.11; further showers were reported in the western belt but the general news attracts very little attention when the break was once fairly started.

Receipts at the ports today 13,387 bales against 18,775 last week and 25,275 last year. For the week 75,000 bales against 93,876 last week and 93,781 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 1,603 bales against 3,930 last year, and at Houston 849 bales against 4,201 last year.

Spot closed quiet 25 points decline; middling uplands 14.55; middling gulf 14.80; sales ——.

Futures opened easy and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
April	——	13.58	14.30	14.53
May	14.40	14.50	13.99	14.23
June	14.26	14.26	14.26	14.12
July	14.30	14.36	13.92	14.11
August	13.82	13.85	13.47	13.63
September	12.96	13.00	12.75	12.86
October	12.55	12.57	12.25	12.42
November	——	——	——	12.20
December	12.30	12.38	12.13	12.27
January	12.30	12.30	12.11	12.25

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 5.—Spot fair demand, prices 12 points lower. American middling fair 8.38; good middling 8.08; middling 7.92; low middling 7.82; good ordinary 7.57; ordinary 7.32.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,700 American. Receipts 10,000 bales including 9,400 American. Futures opened easy and closed quiet. April 7.06; April and May 7.61; May and June 7.58; June and July 7.53; July and August 7.48; August and September 7.22; September and October 6.81 1-2; October and November 6.67 1-2; November and December 6.56; December and January 6.54; January and February 6.52 1-2; February and March, March and April 6.52.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.'S LETTER.

New York, April 5.—Two features developed in the market today, one the continued buying of May by the bulls, and the other the liquidation by commission houses of July and October. This last feature was on a large scale, finally breaking down the market to the lowest prices since January, when the spot houses became large buyers, and also Europe. The market closed steady at a decline of some 25 points on July. European buying was based on the continued large business in Manchester, so that a further recovery is not unlikely tomorrow, though the general sentiment remains pessimistic on the absence of buying by the American spinners.

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PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14 1-2; net receipts 5,041; stock 95,758.

New Orleans—Nominal, 14 11-16; net receipts 1,663; stock 146,751.

Mobile—Nominal, 14 3-4; net receipts 624; stock 23,787.

Savannah—Quiet, 14 1-2; net receipts 2,382; stock 67,164.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts 185; stock 12,133.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts 614; stock 12,440.

Norfolk—14 3-4; net receipts 1,897; stock 20,319.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15; stock 5,120.

New York—Quiet, 14.55; stock 112,939.

Boston—Quiet, 14.55; net receipts 70; stock 10,926.

Philadelphia—Steady, 14.80; net receipts 24; stock 1,243.

Port Townsend—Net receipts 947.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 13,387; Continent 1,041; Japan 947; stock 521,019.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 32,947; Great Britain 15,077; France 6,926; Continent 11,686; Japan 947.

Total since September 1st at all ports, net receipts 6,456,631; Great Britain 1,885,755; France 860,817; Continent 2,174,657; Japan 65,921; Mexico 13,819.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 14 3-8; net receipts 849; stock 69,886.

Augusta—Nominal, 14 3-4; net receipts 348; stock 41,964.

Memphis—Steady, 14 3-4; net receipts 449; stock 110,258.

St. Louis—Dull, 14 7-8; net receipts 15; stock 58,809.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 458; stock 14,175.

Little Rock—Steady, 14 3-8; net receipts 423; stock 42,651.

Louisville—Firm, 15.

Total today—Net receipts 2,237; gross receipts 4,864; shipments 7,587; sales 947; stock 317,245.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 5.—Flour quiet and nominally lower.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Quiet.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red 1.23 cif and No. 1 northern 1.33 1-2 nominal fob opening navigation. Options closed 1 to 1 3-8c net decline; May 1.21 1-2; July 1.13 3-4; September 1.00.

Corn—Spot steady; steamer 62 1-2 and No. 2, 60 both asked elevator export basis. Options closed unchanged. May 69; July 74 3-4; September 72.

Oats—Spot quiet; mixed nominal. Options closed unchanged. May 47 1-2.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum, Molasses, Rice, Sugar, raw, refined sugar all steady, unchanged.

Coffee—Futures closed steady net unchanged to five points lower. Spot coffee quiet; Rio No. 7, 8 1-2 to 5 5-8; Santos No. 4, 9 3-4; mild dull; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Potatoes—Easy, nchanged.

Cabbages—Firm; Southern per crate 1.50 to 3.50.

Peanuts and Freights—Quiet, unchanged.

Butter—Strong, unchanged.

Cheese—Strong, unchanged.

Eggs—Easy; Pennsylvania and nearby henmery white 23 1-2 to 25; do gathered white 23 to 24; do henmery brown and mixed fancy 23 to 24; do gathered brown to choice 22 1-2 to 23.

The cotton seed oil market was quiet and easy on the decline in cotton and freer offers of new crop crude, closing irregular at 3 points advance to 5 points decline with sales of 9,200 barrels. May 7.25 to 7.54; July 7.60 to 7.62; September 7.09 to 7.70; October 7.20 to 7.21. Prime crude 6.67; prime summer yellow 7.50 to 7.53; prime winter yellow 7.50 to 8.20; prime summer white 7.50 to 8.20.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 5.—The cotton goods market was quiet for the day with more firmness shown in lines recently revised in price. Export trade is quiet but hopes are entertained of further China business. Cotton yarns are quiet. In men's wear the business is seasonably quiet.

PEANUTS.

(Reported by Rodgers, MacCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., April 4.—Spanish, market firm at $1.35 per bushel; good demand. Virginias, market quiet at 4 1-2c for jumbo; fancy handpicked 3 3-4 to 4c; machine picked 3c to 3 3-4c; shelling stock 2 3-4 to 3c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

Chicago, April 5.—No market—Holiday.

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, April 5.—The relative activity in the first and last hours of today's stock market rescued it from what would have been otherwise the dullest day of the present year and converted the closing into decided animation. The orders whose execution shaped that episode came apparently from professional sources. They reflected the effort of the hard pressed professionals to infuse some life into a market which was falling into a condition hopeless for their purposes of daily trades on price fluctuations.

The dimension which the gold export movement is assuming was regarded as an effect, rather than a cause, of the stagnant speculation. The languid demand for money is allowing interest rates to recede, in spite of the material inroads making on the slender surplus reserves of the banks. The London money market was engaged today with the redemption of the $105,000,000 war loan, which was expected to mark the period of the most pressing government requirements. The continued urgent demand for our gold is attributed to preparation for the next stock market settlement in London. The tottering of rubber shares in that market today in view of the excess of the previous rise, was considered ominous. An ultimate collapse of that speculation is considered inevitable.

The decision to place the Union Bank of Brooklyn in liquidation made an unpleasant impression, although no other institution is supposed to be directly involved in the affair. The incident is an aftermath of the panic of 1907 and is due to the inadequate measure of re-organization. U. S. Steel was a prominent figures in the days market movement. The estimates of the corporations earnings for the first quarter of the year had an influence on the stock and were made the basis for predictions of an increase in the dividend rate at the directors meeting on the last Tuesday in the month. The leadership proved effective for the whole market. Rains in the winter wheat belt were a favorable influence on stocks although the closing of some of the most important markets on account of local election holidays left the effects in that market somewhat obscure. A break in cotton was considered with attentive interest in the financial district. The belief is widespread that important speculative liquidation in the commodities markets is a probable event of the not distant future.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, were $2,107,000. United States 3s registered advanced 1-4e on call. Total sales of stocks today were 432,700 shares.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 5.—Money on call steady, 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 2 7-8. Time loans quiet and easier, sixty days 3 3-4 per cent., ninety days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent., six months 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8415 to 30 for sixty day bills and at 4.8770 for demand. Commercial bills at 4.83 1-2 to 4.84; bar silver 52 3-8. Mexican dollars 44.

U. S. BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	102 1-2
U. S. 3s coupon	102 1-2
U. S. 4s, registered	114 3-4
U. S. 4s, coupon	114 3-4
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	79 1-2
American Agricultural 5s	102
American Tel & Tel cv. 4s	101 7-8
American Tobacco 4s	81 1-2
American Tobacco 6s	106 1-8
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	92 7-8
Atchison gen. 4s	98 3-4
Atchison cv. 4s	112 7-8
Atchison cv. 5s	114 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	94 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	92 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	84 1-4
Central of Georgia 5s	107 1-2
Central Leather 5s	100 5-8
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	124
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref. 5s	103
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	73 1-2
Chicago B. & Q. joint 4s	95 3-8
Chicago, B. & Q. gen. 4s	98 1-8
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen. 3 1-2s	86 1-2
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col. 4s	80 1-8
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	89 7-8
Colorado Industrial 5s	78
Colorado Midland 4s	77
Colo. & Southern ref. & ext. 4 1-2s	97 1-8
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	99 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	90
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	93 1-4
Distillers 5s	73
Erie prior lien 4s	83 1-2
Erie Gen. 4s	76
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	75
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	89 1-2
General Electric cv. 5s	140
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	97 3-4
Interborough Met. 4 1-2s	81
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	86
Japan 4 1-2s	96 1-8
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 1-2
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93 3-4
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	98 1-8
Missouri Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	89
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	89 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	80
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	95
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	89 1-8
New York Central deb. 4s	94
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	134 1-4
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98 5-8
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	104
Northern Pacific 4s	100
Northern Pacific 3s	72
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	93 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s, (1915)	96 1-8
Penn. Con. 4s	104
Reading Gen. 4s	98 1-2
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	81 5-8
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	88 1-2
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	78
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	92
Seaboard Air Line 4s	83 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	91
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	101 1-2
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	95
Southern Railway 5s	106 3-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	78
Union Pacific 4s	100 1-2
Union Pacific cv. 4s	108 5-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	97 1-8
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 7-8
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104 5-8
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	99 1-8
Wabash 1st 5s	109
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	71 3-4
Western Md., 4s	85 1-2
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	88
Wisconsin Central 4s	93

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers pfd	37
Amalgamated Copper	76 5-8
American Agricultural	44 1-4
American Beet Sugar	28
American Can	11
American Car & Foundry	63 5-8
American Cotton Oil	66 1-2
American Hide & Leather pfd	32
American Ice Securities	26 1-4
American Linseed	13 1-2
American Locomotive	51 1-2
American Smelting & Refing	82 3-4
American Smelting & Refing pfd	106 1-4
American Steel Foundries	37
American Sugar Refining	123
American Tel. & Tel	136 1-8
American Tobacco, pfd	96
American Woolen	30
Anaconda Mining Co.	47 1-4
Atchison	113 1-2
Atchison pfd	102 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line	129 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	111 3-4
Bethleham Steel	30
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77 1-8
Canadian Pacific	182 7-8
Central Leather	41 3-8
Central Leather pfd	106 1-2
Central of New Jersey	295
Chesapeake & Ohio	86 1-8
Chicago & Alton	51
Chicago Great Western	29
Chicago Great Western pfd	55 1-2
Chicago & Northwestern	151
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul	142
C., C. C. & St. Louis	86
Colorado Fuel & Iron	40
Colorado & Southern	60 1-4
Consolidated Gas	142 3-4
Corn Products	16 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	173
Denver & Rio Grande	40 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	78 3-4
Distillers' Securities	31 1-2
Erie	30 1-8
Erie 1st pfd	48
Erie 2nd pfd	37 3-4
General Electric	150
Great Northern pfd	135 1-2
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	67 1-2
Illinois Central	139
Interborough Met	22 3-4
Interborough Met pfd	58 1-4
Inter Harvester	92
Inter Marine pfd	19 5-8
International Paper	12 3-4
International Pump	45
Iowa Central	22 3-4
Kansas City Southern	35 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	66
Laclede Gas	99 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	151
Minneapolis & St. Louis	33 1-2
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	139 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31 3-8
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	71 1-4
Missouri Pacific	69 1-8
National Biscuit	106
National Lead	83
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	27 7-8
New York Central	122 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	45
Norfolk & Western	103 1-2
North American	76
Northern Pacific	134 3-4
Pacific Mail	30 1-4
Pennsylvania	125 3-4
People's Gas	109 7-8
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	102 1-2
Pittsburg Coal	26 1-4
Pressed Steel Car	31 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	190
Railway Steel Spring	30 5-8
Reading	165 3-4
Republic Steel	36 3-4
Republic Steel pfd	99 3-4
Rock Island Co.	17 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	30 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	49 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern	29 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	73 1-2
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	75
Southern Pacific	123 3-8
Southern Railway	28
Southern Railway pfd	91 1-2
Tennessee Copper	50 1-2
Texas & Pacific	31 3-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West	43 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	75 1-2
Union Pacific	186 7-8
Union Pacific pfd	97
United States Realty	78 1-4
United States Rubber	43
United States Steel	85 1-8
United States Steel pfd	119 3-4
Utah Copper	46
Virginia Car. Chemical	58 1-8
Wabash	21 5-8
Wabash pfd	47
Western Maryland	30 1-8
Westinghouse Electric	66
Western Union	73
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4 7-8

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 5.—Turpentine firm, rosin steady.

Savannah, Ga., April 5.—Turpentine firm 59 1-2; sales 85; receipts 334; shipments 170; stocks 8,149. Rosin firm; sales 290; receipts 1,290; shipments 410; stocks 83,963. Quote: A, B, C, 4.20; D, 4.40; E, 4.65; F, 4.87 1-2; G, 5.00; H, 5.25; K, 6.20; M, 6.70; N, 6.70; WG, 6.95; WW, 7.05.

Charleston, April 6.—Turpentine firm 60c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 4.20 to 425; D, 4.40; E, 4.62 1-2; F, 4.87 1-2; G, 4.90; H, 4.90; I, 4.95; K, 5.95; M, 6.45; ——, 6.70; WG, 6.95; WW, 7.05.

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Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Schr. Mary A. Baxter, 836 tons, Dow, Baltimore, C. D. Maffitt.

CLEARED.

Str. Santiago, Packer, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Ger. str. Hans Leonhardt, Lemke, Pensacola, F. A. Fetter, Agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Everest (Br.) 1,332 tons, Dower, Walter Smallbones, Agent.

Clematis (Big.) 2,296 tons, Sytor, American Naval Stores Company.

Winnie (Br.) 1,583 tons, Shotten, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Mary L. Baxter, 836 tons, Dow, C. D. Maffitt.

Herbert D. Maxwell, 640 tons, Quillen, C. D. Maffitt.

Chas. D. Endicott, 751 tons, Johnson, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 5, 1910.

C. C. Railroad—35 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—135 bales cotton.

W., C. & A. Railroad—476 bales cotton, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—3 bales cotton, 30 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—8 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—1 barrel crude turpentine.

Str. Bee—4 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin.

Str. Leo—8 casks spirits turpentine, 52 barrels rosin, 28 barrels tar.

Total—614 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 76 barrels rosin, 91 barrels tar, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

The Demon of the Air

is the germ of La Grippe, that, breathed in, brings suffering to thousands. Its after effects are weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of stomach, liver and kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system and restore health and good spirits after an attack of grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

SENSATION IN LYNCHBURG.

Virginia City Breaks All Southern Records for Shipments.

Lynchburg, Va., April 4.—A report today states that Craddock-Terry Company have broken all records for selling shoes in this, the shoe town of the South. It is reported that these progressive manufacturers sold more than twenty carloads of shoes in one day this week. This represented approximately 75,000 pairs of shoes which sold for more than $150,000. If this average can be maintained for the year, it means a total business of $45,000,000, an average sale of 75,000 pairs of shoes a day, making a total of 20,000,000 pairs in a year, and 7,500 pairs an hour, or 150 pairs a minute.

This phenomenal increase in business is evidently attributable largely to the immense demand which has been created for the Craddock shoe, which is being widely advertised all over the South.

The South needs more of these aggressive manufacturers, who not only know how to produce a meritorious article, but who are not afraid to advertise it.

NOW AFTER POSTER GIRL.

Greensboro Has to Go Raleigh One Better.

(Charlotte Observer.)

Greensboro, April 4.—Sergeant of Police R. E. Pearce served a warrant on H. H. Tate, manager of the Grand Opera house, tonight, charging him with displaying obscene pictures in store windows.

The pictures complained of are lithographs portraying chorus girls in tights and short dresses and the indictment is a culmination of the protest made before the board of aldermen by the ministers' association several weeks ago.

The affair has caused considerable adverse comment here, it being the general opinion that there is nothing immoral or unusual about the advertising. The show is billed to appear here on the night of the Virginia-Carolina ball game and the action of tonight has so far resulted only in a determined effort of Manager Tate to arrange a matinee in competition with the ball game.

Must Carry Oil Samples.

News and Observer: Recently the Southern Express Company notified the State Department of Agriculture that the company would discontinue the carrying of oil samples for analysis at the Department of Agriculture on the ground that the oil was combustible and there were rules against it. The matter was laid before the Corporation Commission and an agreement was reached whereby the express company will transport the samples, but they must be in one pint packages and enclosed in metallic cases, in no instance permitting more than fifteen pints to be shipped in one case.

It Requires Nerve to stand the strain of nervous neuralgia, pains in the face, head or any part of the body. These pains are quickly stopped by the use of Perry Davis' Painkiller. The relief is immediate and lasting. Do not suffer a moment longer but use the Painkiller as directed. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Price 25c., 35c. and 50c.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, in a cause therein pending, wherein the City of Wilmington is plaintiff and James H. Davis, Edward Watters and John D. Bellamy are defendants, the undersigned commissioner will expose for sale at public auction, at the court house door in New Hanover County, on the 16th day of April, 1910, at 12 o'clock M., for cash, to the highest bidder, the following piece or parcel of land, lying and being in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the southern line of Hanover street at a point 125 3-4 feet west of the intersection of Hanover and 8th streets, runs thence westwardly with said southern line of Hanover street 41 1-4 feet, thence southwardly and parallel with 8th street, 66 feet, thence eastwardly and parallel with Hanover street 41 1-4 feet, thence northwardly and parallel with 8th street 66 feet to the beginning.

This the 16th day of March, 1910.

CAMERON F. MacRAE,
ma 16 law 4w we. Commissioner.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY?

Gives prompt and positive relief in every case. Sold by druggists, price $1.00. Trial package by mail 10 cents.

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props.
CLEVELAND, O.
Sold by R. R. Bellamy.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from New Hanover county, subject to the will of the Democratic party, to be expressed at the primary.

WOODUS KELLUM.
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WOODBURY writes about His Famous HAIR TONIC

Extract from an article written by the Master Dermatologist when Woodbury's combination Hair and Scalp Treatment was first successfully prepared for Home Use.

"The formula under which this Hair Tonic is made was tested and improved for over thirty-five years before a bottle was sold through the stores."

"For over thirty-five years this Tonic has been used in the enormous practice of John H. Woodbury's Dermatological Institute."

"Millions of cases were treated, and after their cure the patients continued the use of this Tonic as a delightful refreshment to the scalp and to keep the hair soft, rich and glossy."

If you don't see Woodbury's face on the label it's an imitation.

"This necessarily meant repeated calls at the Woodbury Institute, often at the inconvenience of patients living at a distance."

"To supply this demand, and the growing call from those who had not been treated, for a Hair Tonic which was scientifically successful (not a mere commercial product) this Tonic has now been put on the market and can hereafter be had from all reputable dealers."

Now, right in your own home, you can use the preparations formerly supplied only to office patients of the Institute. No other preparations for the Hair and Scalp are backed up by the same unlimited experience. No others give such quick and such satisfactory results.

Woodbury's Hair Tonic saves the hair when all other preparations fail. It prevents dandruff; stops falling hair, and instantly relieves itching scalp. It restores the lustre to the hair; preserves it's natural color; increases its vitality and makes it beautiful and abundant.

Everyone Endorses Woodbury's

Hair Now Growing Nicely.

My hair stopped falling out just as soon as I used the Woodbury's Scalp Cream in conjunction with the Scalp Cleaner. It's action was just like magic. The thick greasy dandruff is all gone. My hair is growing nicely and taking on a new growth. Your Hair Tonic I use night and morning, and it is the nicest hair dressing I have ever used. Thanking you for the letters of advice, I remain,

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. JOHN F. HOWSON,
490 Quincy Street, Brooklyn.

This Specialist Uses Woodbury's

After ten years of careful study, and close observation of all conditions of the hair and scalp, I find the Woodbury method of treatment most successful of all. It is based on the most correct scientific principles. In cases of scalp disease the Woodbury preparations go right to the root of the trouble, and their curative and stimulating properties are remarkable. Am now using them exclusively in my offices and the results obtained are most satisfactory.

JAMES B. QUINN,
Hair and Scalp Specialist,
Monolith Building, New York City

Quick Results Pleased Him.

The dandruff and itching scalp were terrible and my hair was thinning out over the temples and at the back of my head at an alarming rate. Nothing seemed to help until I used the Woodbury remedies, but good results were then noticed from the start, and in a few days the dandruff was entirely gone and new hairs began to show. What pleased me most was that results were so quick. The Woodbury Hair and Scalp Remedies certainly make the hair grow.

Yours very truly,
FRANKLIN G. SCHWARZ,
14 Spruce Street,
Corona, L. I.

Three time-proved preparations in the combination treatment. All sizes-25c.-50c.-$1.00. All druggists.

ROBERT R. BELLAMY, Distributor for Wilmington.

NOTICE OF RECEIVERS' SALE.

Pursuant to an order made by his honor, W. R. Allen, on the 28th day of February, 1910, the undersigned receivers will sell or cash to the highest bidder, at public uction, at the mill site of the Lewis Lumber Company, at Byrdsville, North Carolina, on Thursday the 13th day of April, 1910, at 12 o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit:

One Saw Mill complete—Steam Feed.
Three Boilers.
Two Dry Kilns, capacity 25,000 per day.
One Planing Mill complete, including one American Surfacer and Matcher.
One Moulder and one Rip Saw.
One Horse and Cart.
One Locomotive and six log cars.
One Skidder and Loader combined.
4 1-4 Miles 25 lb. Steel Rail.
One Blacksmith's outfit complete.
100 Kiln Trucks.

This the 15th day of March, 1910.

H. L. LYON,
and
W. C. LEWIS,
Receivers.
ap 16 to ap 13.

FOR SALE

12 million feet standing timber tributary to Lewis Lumber Co. Mill at Byrdsville, N. C. For terms and other particulars, address

J. D. BUSH or
R. B. RAYNER,
Arcade Bdilding,
Philadelphia, Pa.
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Get in the Easter Parade.

Even if you don't wear the new Spring suit on Easter Day, it's a source of satisfaction to know that you have it and could wear it if you choose.

CHOOSE STEIN-BLOCH.

The Stein-Bloch Spring patterns are exclusive and unrivaled in beauty.

The Stein-Bloch tailors have been in the Stein-Bloch employ for many years. They have raised tailoring from a trade to a fine art. The Stein-Bloch style is the last word of the great style centers of the world.

These are reasons why Stein-Bloch Clothes fit and suit the individuality of the wearer.

Come to us and try on one for Easter.

A beautiful line of Boys' and Children's Suits.

Everything in hats and furnishing goods.

J. W. FLEET CO.

Phone 673. So. W. Corner Front and Princess Sts.

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GAYLORD'S

SPRING HATS

Wash Skirts in all colors.

Linene Wash Suits, worth $5.00, for $3.50.

All kinds of children's Underwear.

The prettiest 3-strap Pumps ever seen for $1.50

Children's patent leather Belts, in all colors 5c

The neatest little "Go-Cart" ever put on the market for the price .. $1.75

$5.00 Automobile Linen Dusters for $3.50

SPECIAL for this week—$1.00 black Taffeta Silk for 85c

The Poke Bonnets we have for kids are beauties, and the price is small.

GEO. O.

GAYLORD'S

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

210, 212, 214 N. FRONT ST.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mrs. M. E. Pugh and granddaughter, Miss Mary Katherine Wooten, of Kinston, left yesterday morning on a visit to Savannah, Ga.

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Ensign Louis P. Davis, United States Navy, is here to spend a month's leave of absence at the home of his father, Mr. Junius Davis.

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The woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

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Mrs. John W. Helbig and children, of Denver, Colorado, arrived yesterday and will spend some time with Mrs. Helbig's father, Capt. John H. Hanby, who, friends will regret to know, remains quite sick at his home on Wrightsville Sound.

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The executive committee of the National organization of the Society of the Colonial Dames of America is in session this week at Wilmington, Delaware, getting matters in shape for the general meeting to be held in Washington, D. C., some time soon. Mrs. Edmund L. Prince, of this city, is representing North Carolina at the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jos. B. Fox, who left Monday evening on the northbound train for their wedding trip North, will not return to this city to make their home as was erroneously stated in yesterday's paper. Mr. Fox has taken a good position with the Westinghouse Electric Company and, with his bride, will make their home North in the future, but friends hope that they will visit the home of the bride here often.

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Whiteville, N. C., April 5.—Mrs. J. Z. Mims has returned to Whiteville to become associated with her father, Editor Gantt, on the staff of Columbus county's great weekly, "The News Reporter." Mrs. Mims is very popular in Whiteville, having made many friends during her connection with the paper last year. She has a genial disposition and is a very capable young newspaper woman. She is most cordially welcomed back and will have entire charge of the local department.

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Friends in the city have received announcements of the engagement of Mr. Walter Hoge McIntyre, a popular Wilmington boy, who is now professor of chemistry in the faculty of the Pennsylvania State College, and Miss Edna Meyer, a daughter of Hon. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer, of Pennsylvania. The date of the approaching wedding is not given. Mr. McIntyre is one of the brightest of the young Wilmingtonians who have attained a high degree of success elsewhere and his friends will congratulate him upon this more recent announcement of his good fortune.

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Mr. Alfred V. Wood, formerly of Wilmington but now a prominent citizen of Brunswick, Ga., is spending a few days in Wilmington with relatives and friends. Mr. Wood was born and reared in Wilmington and lived here until about 30 years ago when he went to Brunswick, Ga., and for some years before he left was associated in business with Mr. W. H. Sprunt. He is an uncle of Dr. E. J. Wood, of this city. Mr. Wood is most pleasantly remembered here by many friends, who have been delighted to see him here again.

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Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington schools, has returned from a very pleasant visit to Chapel Hill. He found all of the New Hanover colony at the University doing exceedingly well and taking a high stand both in scholarship and deportment. Among the number are Ferdinand Duls, William Parsley, Harry Solomon, R. W. Strange, Robert Strange, Jr., George Carmichael, Nicholas Post, Clem Brown, Merrill Blair, Earle Croswell, David Murchison, David Struthers, Adrian Rhodes, Hal Boatwright, Spencer Nichols, Louis Belden, Jr., George Meares, Emmet Bellamy, James Orr and others.

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BEN GREET PLAYERS COMING THIS WEEK.

Welcome news is brought in the announcement that Ben Greet's talented company of players will give two of Shakespeare's plays here on the grounds of the Wilmington High School on the 18th of April. They will be strictly "under the greenwood tree" affairs, with all the charm which natural beauty and simplicity of environment can give. "As You Like It" will be given in the afternoon and "Mid-Summer Night's Dream" at night. In the event of inclement weather the programmes will be given in the Auditorium of Union School.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, arrived last night on a business trip.

—Mr. O. F. Justice, of Snead's Ferry, N. C., was among last evening's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. T. H. Williams, of Cronly, N C., was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. R. C. Applewhite, of Cronly, was among yesterday's business visitors in the city.

—Mr. J. D. Parker, of Haw's Run, Onslow county, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Bishop Strange, of this city, has accepted an invitation to deliver the annual address at the closing of the Fayetteville city schools on May 17th.

—Col. E. M. Koonce and little son, Chas. Duffy, and Mr. Geo. A. Hurst and little son, George B., of Jacksonville, Onslow county, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday and will spend a day or two here.

ITS THIRD MONTHLY BANQUET

(Continued from Page 5.)

would be found that the unsuccessful enterprises had not selected the proper men to manage their affairs. For instance, there was at one time a plant here making veneer dishes and had as manager a peanut. Mr. Jacobi referred to the Seaboard terminals as a great step forward—the greatest in years and will mean much to the development of Wilmington. He said that the Seaboard had done more in the way of development than any other road that ever entered Wilmington.

President Evans stated that he had received a request that the Commercial Club endorse a movement for another train on the A. & Y. The gentlemen interested had been invited to the banquet, but were not present. Mr. L. B. Rogers was then called upon. He spoke of the bonded warehouse as being a big saving in the matter of insurance and also expressed the belief that the warehouse would be extensively used for outside firms now using Savannah, Ga., and other places as distributing points. With reference to passenger service he said that the additional train could be secured if the people would go after it. He said that many people living within 15 or 20 miles of Wilmington on the A. & Y. go to Fayetteville to do their trading because they can make the trip in one day. He also brought to the attention of the body the importance of an uptown ticket office, and declared that this would be given if the proper effort was made.

President Evans announced that the club was very fortunate in having present a former resident of the city, who is now one of the most prominent citizens of Brunswick, Ga., Mr. Alfred V. Wood, whom he introduced. Mr. W. H. Sprunt said that he desired to say a word before Mr. Wood arose. Mr. Sprunt explained that Mr. Wood was one of the old timers, though he did not look it, and was in business in Wilmington 30 years ago. He was in business with Mr. Sprunt, who said that he would always remember with pleasure his connection with Mr. Wood. He said that it was a great loss to Wilmington and a great gain to Brunswick, Ga., when Mr. Wood removed. Mr. Wood responded in a delightful short address. He said that while he was a Brunswickite by location, he had always been a North Carolinian and Wilmingtonian and always held up Wilmington as being a city that did the right thing at the right time. This was his first visit here in 15 years and he was very much gratified at the growth of the city. In fact, he said it was necessary for him to stop frequently and get his bearings while walking around the city. He said that these changes could not have been had not the people of Wilmington been thoroughly alive. He wanted to say that when any question of improvement comes up in his home town he uses Wilmington material and that he was going back and try to inoculate the people of Brunswick with Wilmington municipal management.

Mr. C. N. Evans announced that at the next meeting a vice president to succeed Mr. R. L. Boyd would be elected.

Mr. W. L. Williford called to the attention of the body the fact that a Savannah firm is using one of the Seaboard warehouses for storage of salt and making Wilmington its distributing center for this section. Mr. E. M. Beery said that he was certain a better insurance rate could be secured if a bonded warehouse were erected. Messrs. Gilbert Foard, E. Norfleet, J. S. Funchess and Louis Hall made very interesting talks relative to bonded warehouses and the manifold opportunities of Wilmington after which the affair came to a close.

Those present were Messrs B. A. Merritt, J. S. McEachern, L. B. Rogers, James M. Hall, E. M. Beery, Malcolm MacKenzie, J. S. Funchess, H. F. Wilder, W. R. Middleton, W. G. Sale, D. R. Foster, Louis T. Moore, James Owen Reilly, C. L. Meister, M. W. Jacobi, John J. Blair, J. L. Williams, John S. Ramos, R. C. DeRosset, E. Norfleet, F. A. Thompson, H. G. Walsh, Walker Taylor, J. H. James, John R. Hanby, W. W. Koch, G. T. Flynn, John Wannamaker, A. L. Price, H. McA. Rose, H. G. Foard, W. B. Thorpe, F. E. Hashagen, W. E. Fox, D. M. Carroll, W. D. McMillan, Jr., James J. Allen, H. L. Hunt, Louis E. Hall, H. deW. Rapalje J. B. Fenley, R. A. Parsley, J. F. Roach, J. VanB. Metts, W. E. Perdew, John R. Murchison, C. C. Covington, W. L. Williford, C. N. Evans, T. W. Clawson, J. H. Rehder, Boyd Parker, Carl B. Rehder, A. G. Bowden, J. S. Brown, R. A. Wright, J. L. Toon, R. H. Northrop, H. G. Smallbones, W. H. Montgomery, Alfred V. Wood, of Brunswick, Ga., D. M. Gregg, W. J. Bergen, B. H. Bryan, W. H. Sprunt, I. W. Cooper, D. O. Westbrook, J. A. McGeachy and W. E. Lawson.

MUST STAY OFF STREETS.

Women of Underworld Notified by Police—Two Arrested.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen Monday night to the effect that the women of the underworld, both white and colored, must stay at home or leave the city, Chief of Police N. J. Williams yesterday served notice on the women. In consequence of the action of the Aldermen, Mollie McCoy, colored, was arrested on Chesnut, between 11th and 12th streets, last night by Mounted Officer Frank George. A charge of vagrancy has been entered against her. Hattie Howell, a white woman, who has been living on 12th, between Princess and Chesnut streets, was arrested on a warrant charging her with vagrancy. The warrant was signed by Sergeant E. J. Grimsley and was sworn out on information and belief. She was unable to give bond.

TEN NEW MEMBERS W. L. I.

Elected at a Special Meeting Last Night—To Give Smoker.

At a special meeting of the W. L. I. last night 10 new members were received into the organization and other matters of importance were transacted. The committee appointed at the last meeting to arrange for a smoker reported that Wednesday night, April 13th, had been selected as the date for the event, which will be given in the armory. The committee is making very elaborate preparations for the function, further announcement of which will be made later. The W. L. I. is also making ready for the annual inspection by an artillery officer Thursday night of this week.

Theatrical.

Norwood, the hypnotist, was again the attraction at popular prices at the Academy of Music last night and was greeted by a fairly large audience who seemed to enjoy the various features of the performance. Seats for tonight's engagement are now selling at the Crystal Palace.

Crystal Palace.

Little Baby Esmonds is the ruling favorite at the Crystal Palace this week, and that is saying much, because the bill the present week is an exceptionally big and clever one. There are four big acts and each is a feature in itself. However, Baby Esmonds is the particular "it" of the offering, and has been pronounced by the fair femininity to be "just too cute and charming for anything." Baby Esmonds is not only a pretty, dainty little miss, but she is decidedly artistic in her work. She sings well, unusually well for a child artist, dances splendidly and tells jokes like a veteran. In some of her clever work she is assisted by her mother, Flora Esmonds, who is charming. Verne, the "clown with the funny laugh", is another big favorite, although Miss Marie Maxine, soubrette, and Mr. Aruthur Bell, novelty ventriloquist, come in for big praise.

"The La nd of Nod."

Samuel E. Rork's original company in the brilliant musical extravaganza "The Land of Nod", will be the attraction at the Academy of Music on next Tuesday, April 12th. The production is said to be very beautiful and massive, and one of the largest organizations of this character ever sent on tour. The cast is headed by Knox Wilson, who will be seen in his original part of "April Fool." Prominent in the cast are Nell McNeil and Anna McNabb, who have made hits here before in other big musical productions. The chorus is unusually large and includes some very beautiful girls.

University Glee Club.

Friday evening of this week is the day for the appearance in Wilmington of the University Glee Club and Orchestra and the occasion is being looked forward to with much pleasure by the alumni of that institution and the public generally. The prices will be 50 and 75 cents and $1 and the sale of seats will begin at the Crystal Palace Friday morning. The faculty committee on music, composed of such musical connoisseurs as Dr. Chas. S. Mangum and Dr. Chas. H. Herty, sat in critical judgment upon a recent performance of the club and expressed themselves as delighted with the performance and predicted a triumphal tour through Eastern North Carolina. With the backing of such critics and with several splendid successes already to their credit the Glee Club and Orchestra are encouraged and determined to surpass even these past attainments through this section of the State.

At the Bijou Today.

The "Twelfth Night" is the title of the feature picture at the Bijou today. It is a Shakespearean comedy-drama presenting the beautiful tale of the pure and unselfish love of youth, incidentally introducing a most subtle vein of humor.

ABANDONMENT CHARGED.

J. T. Bryant, White Man, Brought Here From Hamlet, N. C.

On the early morning train today Constable Savage brought from Hamlet, N. C., J. T. Bryant, a young white man arrested night before last in that town on a warrant from Recorder John J. Furlong, of this county, charging him with abandonment and non-support of his wife, Mrs. A. Bryant, who has been employed at the Wilmington Steam Laundry. It is stated that the prosecution will contend that Bryant abandoned his wife and children some two years ago. Bryant was lodged in jail last night and will probably be given trial before the Recorder today.

Why does Great Britian buy its oatmeal of us?

Certainly it seems like carrying coals to Newcastle to speak of exporting oatmeal to Scotland and yet, every year the Quaker Oats Company sends hundreds of thousands of cases of Quaker Oats to Great Britian and Europe.

The reason is simple; while the English and Scotch have for centuries eaten oatmeal in quantities and with a regularity that has made them the most rugged physically, and active mentally of all people, the American has been eating oatmeal and trying all the time to improve the methods of manufacture so that he might get that desirable foreign trade.

How well he has succeeded would be seen at a glance at the export reports on Quaker Oats. This brand is without a rival; is packed in regular packages, and in hermetically sealed tins for hot climates. 51

LOCAL DOTS.

—The German steamer Hans Leonhardt, Capt. Lemke, cleared light yesterday for Pensacola, Fla., where she will receive cargo of lumber for foreign export.

—The schooner Mary L. Baxter, Capt. Dow, arrived yesterday from Baltimore with cargo of acid phosphate for the Swift Fertilizer Works; vessel to C. D. Mafftt.

—Rev. Dr. E. T. Carter, of Mount Airy, who is conducting the revival at Southside Baptist Church, will make an address at the A. C. L. shops today at 12:20 P. M., under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

—Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, is among the Wilmington people attending the joint meeting of the boards of education of the North Carolina and Western North Carolina Conferences of M. E. Church, South, in session in Greensboro.

—Members of Grace Methodist Church and others who attend the mid-week prayer services will learn with interest that the feature of tonight's service will be an address by Miss Anderson, the accomplished pianist of the Torrey party. Miss Anderson will be here until tomorrow, when she leaves to join other members of the party in Texas.

—The personal work class conducted by Rev. W. S. Jacoby during the Torrey meetings met at the Y. M. C. A. from 1:05 to 1:30 P. M. yesterday with 42 members present. The meeting was conducted by Rev. Dr. H. H. Hulten, of Charlotte, who made a splendid address. Meetings will be held every Tuesday at 1:05 to 1:30 P. M. for the next four weeks.

—The Salvation Army Week of Self-Denial is announced to commence on Sunday, April 10th, and continue to Sunday, April 17th, and will be observed by the local post, Ensign and Mrs. Williams in charge. During this period a special effort is made to raise money to carry on the work of the organization. Mr. Williams left yesterday afternoon for Lumberton in the interest of Self-Denial week.

—An addition is being built to the Clyde Line wharf at the foot of Grace street for the purpose of extending a railroad track across to the edge of the wharf which will allow cargoes to be transferred without the present difficulty. The work has been in progress for several days and the addition to the wharf is being built by the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Company. The work of driving the piling is about finished and within a few days the track will be laid.

COLLEGE GAMES YESTERDAY.

LaFayette Wins From Virginia—V. P. I. Also the Winner.

Charlottesville, Va., April 5.—La Fayette, 4; University of Virginia, 2.

At Richmond—Brooklyn Nats., 6; Richmond, 1.

At Spartanburg—Rochester, 5; Spartanburg, 2.

At Winston-Salem—New York Amn. 14; Winston-Salem, 5.

At Blacksburg, Va.—V. P. I., 7, Randolph-Macon, 2.

The messages from the merchants are always interesting—and usually affect the "state of your purse."

THREE BAPTIST REVIVALS

Meetings Being Largely Attended and Great Interest Shown.

Following up the work begun during the great Torrey evangelistic campaign, revivals are being held this week in the three Wilmington Baptist churches. The meetings are increasing in interest and attendance and many new members are being received in the churches.

Rev. Dr. H. H. Hulten, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Charlotte, and one of the ablest and most powerful preachers in the State, is doing the preaching at the First Baptist Church. Last night he preached a strong and eloquent sermon on "Journeying Without Jesus," at the conclusion of which a number of new members were received into the church. Services will be held every night through the week, beginning at 8 oclock, except Saturday night. Sunday morning the following newly elected deacons will be ordained, Dr. Hulten preaching the ordination sermon: Messrs. C. C. Brown, D. H. Penton, J. H. Taylor, Jr., C. B. Newcombe, L. F. Gore and r. W. T. Smith. r. Hulten will preach again Sunday night, the service beginning at 7:30 oclock.

At Brooklyn Baptist church last night Rev. R. E. Peele, of Burgaw, formerly pastor of the Brooklyn Church, who is assisting the pastor, preached a very fine sermon on "Jesus and Salvation." at the conclusion of which one person united with the church. There will be preaching tonight at 7:45 o'clock. The attendance last night was large and much interest was manifested. At 10 o'clock this morning an open air meeting will be held at corner of Fourth and Campbell streets and at 3:30 P. M. a cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. J. W. Holmes, corner of Fifth and Harnett streets.

Services at Southside Baptist church last night were largely attended and at the conclusion of a stirring sermon by Rev. Dr. E. T. Carter of Mount Airy, four persons were received into the church. Dr. Carter had as his subject last night, "The Kingdom," and he handled his theme in a most able manner. At 7 oclock a well attended open air meeting was held at Fifth and Castle streets and a number of persons indicated by raising their hands that they desired to live a better life. There will be services at the church at 3:30 this afternoon and at 7 o'clock tonight there will be an open air meeting at Third and Castle streets, followed by a half hour song service at the church. The preaching service begins at 8 P. M.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	12
Rosin	76
Tar	91
Crude turpentine	30

Receipts, same day last year 2 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels rosin; 64 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nothing doing. Quotations corresponding day last year 8 9-16c.

Receipts—614 bales, same day last year 623 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith April 2nd.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Panish $1.40 and $1.50.

CORN—Firm 90@95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; old hams 20; shoulders 13 to 14c; sides 13c.

EGGS—19 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 20@30; grown 45@50 scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 3 and 4 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry, flint 14c; green 8c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 60c. per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c.; free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50@55 per head.

PORK—Small corn fed 10; large 9c., owing to quality.

SHEEP—Old no demand; Lambs, dull no sales.

TURKEYS—Good demand 15@16c on foot; dressed 18@22c.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.75.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, April 5.—There was a big break in the cotton market today under general selling with May contracts declining to 13.99, or 51 points under the closing figures of yesterday. The close was steady at quite a sharp rally from the lowest, but at a net loss of 37 to 39 points.

The market opened easy at a decline of 7 to 14 points, under a renewal of yesterday's late selling movement and in response to weak cables. At first leading spot interests and the New Orleans bull leaders gave the market support and prices rallied slightly, but offerings increased and the pressure proved irresistable. The demand was chiefly withdrawn and the market soon became as nervous and excited as it had been during the early stages of the break of last January. After selling off to 14.12 for May and 12.27 for October during the early afternoon there was a quick rally of about 20 points on covering but on this bulge it looked as though the remnant of some big long line was coming on the market and a little late May sold at 13.99, July at 13.92, and October at 12.25, or 35 to 51 points net lower. At this level there was a big demand from shorts and trade interests, part of which seemed to be coming from Liverpool and prices in the last few minutes rallied smartly with May closing at 14.23 and July at 13.11; further showers were reported in the western belt but the general news attracts very little attention when the break was once fairly started.

Receipts at the ports today 13,387 bales against 18,775 last week and 23,237 last year. For the week 75,000 bales against 93,579 last week and 93,581 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 1,600 bales against 3,536 last year, and at Houston 849 bales against 4,201 last year.

Spot closed quiet 25 points decline; middling uplands 14.55; middling gulf 14.80; sales —.

Futures opened easy and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
April	....	13.58	14.30	14.33
May	14.40	14.50	13.99	14.23
June	14.26	14.26	14.26	14.12
July	14.30	14.36	13.92	14.11
August	13.82	13.85	13.47	13.67
September	12.95	13.00	12.75	12.96
October	12.55	12.57	12.25	12.42
November	....	....	....	12.26
December	12.36	12.38	12.13	12.27
January	12.30	12.30	12.11	12.25

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 5.—Spot fair demand, prices 12 points lower. American middling fair 8.38; good middling 8.08; middling 7.92; low middling 7.82; good ordinary 7.57; ordinary 7.32.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,700 American. Receipts 10,000 bales including 9,400 American. Futures opened easy and closed quiet. April 7.66; April and May 7.61; May and June 7.58; June and July 7.53; July and August 7.48; August and September 7.22; September and October 6.81 1-2; October and November 6.63 1-2; November and December 6.56; December and January 6.54; January and February 6.52 1-2; February and March, March and April 6.52.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.'S LETTER.

New York, April 5.—Two features developed in the market today, one the continued buying of May by the bulls, and the other the liquidation by commission houses of July and October. This last feature was on a large scale, finally breaking down the market to the lowest prices since January, when the spot houses became large buyers, and also Europe. The market closed steady at a decline of some 25 points on July. European buying was based on the continued large business in Manchester, so that a further recovery is not unlikely tomorrow, though the general sentiment remains pessimistic on the absence of buying by the American spinners.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14 1-2; net receipts 5,041; stock 95,758.

New Orleans—Nominal, 14 11-16; net receipts 1,663; stock 140,761.

Mobile—Nominal, 14 3-4; net receipts 624; stock 23,787.

Savannah—Quiet, 14 1-2; net receipts 2,382; stock 67,164.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts 185; stock 12,133.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts 614; stock 12,440.

Norfolk—14 3-4; net receipts 1,837; stock 30,319.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15; stock 3,120.

New York—Quiet, 14.55; stock 112,939.

Boston—Quiet, 14.55; net receipts 70; stock 10,926.

Philadelphia—Steady, 14.80; net receipts 24; stock 1,243.

Port Townsend—Net receipts 947.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 13,387; Continent 1,041; Japan 947; stock 521,019.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 32,947; Great Britain 15,077; France 6,926; Continent 11,686; Japan 947.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 6,456,631; Great Britain 1,885,755; France 869,817; Continent 2,174,657; Japan 65,921; Mexico 13,819.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 14 3-8; net receipts 819; stock 69,386.

Augusta—Nominal, 14 3-4; net receipts 348; stock 41,964.

Memphis—Steady, 14 3-4; net receipts 449; stock 110,258.

St. Louis—Dull, 14 7-8; net receipts 15; stock 38,809.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 438; stock 14,175.

Little Rock—Steady, 14 3-8; net receipts 423; stock 42,651.

Louisville—Firm, 15.

Total today—Net receipts 2,257; gross receipts 4,864; shipments 7,587; sales 947; stock 317,243.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 5.—Flour quiet and nominally lower.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Quiet.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red 1.23 c.i.f and No. 1 northern 1.23 1-2 nominal fob opening navigation. Options closed 1 to 1 3-8c net decline; May 1.21 1-2; July 1.13 3-4; September 1.00.

Corn—Spot steady; steamer 62 1-2 and No. 4, 60 both asked elevator export basis. Options closed unchanged. May 68; July 71 3-4; September 72.

Oats—Spot quiet; mixed nominal. Options closed unchanged. May 47 1-2.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum, Molasses, Rice, Sugar, raw, refined sugar all steady, unchanged.

Coffee—Futures closed steady net unchanged to five points lower. Spot coffee quiet; Rio No. 7 8 1-2 to 5 5-8; Santos No. 4, 9 3-4; mild dull; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Potatoes—Easy, nchanged.

Cabbages—Firm; Southern per crate 1.50 to 3.50.

Peanuts and Freights—Quiet, unchanged.

Butter—Strong, unchanged.

Cheese—Strong, unchanged.

Eggs—Easy; Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white 23 1-2 to 25; do gathered white 23 to 24; do hennery brown and mixed fancy 23 to 24; do gathered brown to choice 22 1-2 to 23.

The cotton seed oil market was quiet and easy on the decline in cotton and freer offers of new crop crude, closing irregular at 3 points advance to 5 points decline with sales of 9,200 barrels. May 7.25 to 7.54; July 7.60 to 7.62; September 7.69 to 7.70; October 7.20 to 7.21. Prime crude 6.67; prime summer yellow 7.50 to 7.53; prime winter yellow 7.50 to 8.20; prime summer white 7.50 to 8.20.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 5.—The cotton goods market was quiet for the day with more firmness shown in lines recently revised in price. Export trade is quiet but hopes are entertained of further China business. Cotton yarns are quiet. In men's wear the business is seasonably quiet.

PEANUTS.

(Reported by Rodgers, MacCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., April 4.—Spanish, market firm at $1.35 per bushel; good demand. Virginias, market quiet at 4 1-2c for jumbo; fancy handpicked 3 3-4 to 4c; machine picked 3c. to 3 3-4c; shelling stock 2 3-4 to 3c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

Chicago, April 5.—No market—Holiday.

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, April 5.—The relative activity in the first and last hours of today's stock market rescued it from what would have been otherwise the dullest day of the present year and converted the closing into decided animation. The orders whose execution shaped that episode came apparently from professional sources. They reflected the effort of the hard pressed professionals to infuse some life into a market which was falling into a condition hopeless for their purposes of daily trades on price fluctuations.

The dimension which the gold export movement is assuming was regarded as an effect, rather than a cause, of the stagnant speculation. The languid demand for money is allowing interest rates to recede, in spite of the material inroads making on the slender surplus reserves of the banks. The London money market was engaged today with the redemption of the $105,000,000 war loan, which was expected to mark the period of the most pressing government requirements. The continued urgent demand for our gold is attributed to preparation for the next stock market settlement in London. The tottering of rubber shares in that market today in view of the excess of the previous rise, was considered ominous. An ultimate collapse of that speculation is considered inevitable.

The decision to place the Union Bank of Brooklyn in liquidation made an unpleasant impression, although no other institution is supposed to be directly involved in the affair. The incident is an aftermath of the panic of 1907 and is due to the inadequate measure of re-organization. U. S. Steel was a prominent figures in the days market unovement. The estimates of the corporations earnings for the first quarter of the year had an influence on the stock and were made the basis for predictions of an increase in the dividend rate at the directors meeting on the last Tuesday in the month. The leadership proved effective for the whole market. Rallies in the winter wheat belt were a favorable influence on stocks although the closing of some of the most important wheat markets on account of local election holidays left the effects in that market somewhat obscure. A break in cotton was considered with attentive interest in the financial district. The belief is widespread that important speculative liquidation in the commodities markets is a probable event of the not distant future.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, were $2,107,000. United States 3s registered advanced 1-4c on call. Total sales of stocks today were 432,700 shares.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 5.—Money on call steady 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 2 7-8. Time loans quiet and easier, sixty days 3 3-4 per cent., ninety days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent., six months 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8415 to 30 for sixty day bills and at 4.8770 for demand. Commercial bills at 4.83 1-2 to 4.84; bar silver 52 3-8. Mexican dollars 44.

U. S. BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	102 1-2
U. S. 3s coupon	102 1-2
U. S. 4s, registered	114 3-4
U. S. 4s, coupon	114 3-4
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	79 1-2
American Agricultural 5s	102
American Tel & Tel cv. 4s	101 7-8
American Tobacco 4s	81 1-2
American Tobacco 6s	106 1-8
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	92 7-8
Atchison gen. 4s	98 3-4
Atchison cv. 4s	112 7-8
Atchison cv. 5s	114 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	91 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	92 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	84 1-4
Central of Georgia 5s	107 1-2
Central Leather 5s	100 5-8
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	124
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref. 5s	103
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	73 1-2
Chicago B. & Q. joint 4s	95 3-8
Chicago, R. & Q. gen. 4s	98 1-8
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen. 3 1-2s	86 1-2
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col. 4s	80 1-8
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. rfg. 4s	89 7-8
Colorado Industrial 5s	78
Colorado Midland 4s	77
Colo. & Southern ref. & ext. 4 1-2s	97 1-8
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	99 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	90
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	93 1-4
Distillers 5s	73
Erie prior lien 4s	83 1-2
Erie Gen. 4s	74
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	75
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	89 1-2
General Electric cv. 5s	140
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	97 3-4
Interborough Met. 4 1-2s	81
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	66
Japan 4 1-2s	96 1-8
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 1-2
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93 3-4
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	98 1-8
Missouri Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	89
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	89 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	80
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	95
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	89 1-8
New York Central deb. 4s	94
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	134 1-4
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98 5-8
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	104
Northern Pacific 4s	100
Northern Pacific 3s	72
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	93 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s, (1915)	96 1-8
Penn. Con. 4s	104
Reading Gen. 4s	98 1-2
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	81 5-8
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	88 1-2
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	78
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	92
Seaboard Air Line 4s	83 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	91
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	101 1-2
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	95
Southern Railway 5s	100 3-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	78
Union Pacific 4s	100 1-2
Union Pacific cv. 4s	108 3-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	97 1-8
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 7-8
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	108 5-8
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	96 1-8
Wabash 1st 5s	100
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	71 3-4
Western Md. 4s	85 1-2
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	88
Wisconsin Central 4s	93

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers pfd	37
Amalgamated Copper	76 3-8
American Agricultural	44 1-4
American Beet Sugar	28
American Can	11
American Car & Foundry	63 5-8
American Cotton Oil	66 1-2
American Hide & Leather pfd	32
American Ice Securities	16 1-4
American Linseed	12 1-2
American Locomotive	31 1-2
American Smelting & Refing	82 3-4
American Smelting & Refing pfd	106 1-4
American Steel Foundries	37
American Sugar Refining	123
American Tel. & Tel	136 1-8
American Tobacco, pfd	96
American Woolen	30
Anaconda Mining Co.	47 1-4
Atchison	113 1-2
Atchison pfd	102 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line	129 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	111 3-4
Bethlehem Steel	30
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77 1-8
Canadian Pacific	182 7-8
Central Leather	41 3-8
Central Leather pfd	106 1-2
Central of New Jersey	295
Chesapeake & Ohio	86 1-8
Chicago & Alton	61
Chicago Great Western	29
Chicago Great Western pfd	55 1-2
Chicago & Northwestern	151
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul	142
C., C. C. & St. Louis	86
Colorado Fuel & Iron	40
Colorado & Southern	30 1-4
Consolidated Gas	142 3-4
Corn Products	16 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	173
Denver & Rio Grande	40 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	78 3-4
Distillers' Securities	31 1-2
Erie	30 1-8
Erie 1st pfd	48
Erie 2nd pfd	37 3-4
General Electric	150
Great Northern pfd	135 1-2
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	67 1-2
Illinois Central	139
Interborough Met	22 3-4
Interborough Met pfd	58 1-4
Inter Harvester	92
Inter Marine pfd	79 5-8
International Paper	12 3-4
International Pump	45
Iowa Central	22 3-4
Kansas City Southern	32 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	66
Laclede Gas	99 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	151
Minneapolis & St. Louis	33 1-2
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	139 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	41 3-8
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	71 1-4
Missouri Pacific	58 1-8
National Biscuit	100
National Lead	83
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	27 7-8
New York Central	122 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	45
Norfolk & Western	103 1-2
North American	76
Northern Pacific	134 3-4
Pacific Mail	30 1-4
Pennsylvania	135 3-4
People's Gas	109 7-8
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	102 1-2
Pittsburg Coal	20 1-2
Pressed Steel Car	41 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	159
Railway Steel Spring	30 5-8
Reading	165 3-4
Republic Steel	36 3-4
Republic Steel pfd	99 3-4
Rock Island Co.	47 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	90 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	49 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern	29 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	78 1-2
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	75
Southern Pacific	125 3-8
Southern Railway	28
Southern Railway pfd	91 1-2
Tennessee Copper	30 1-2
Texas & Pacific	31 3-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West	43 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	85 1-2
Union Pacific	186 7-8
Union Pacific pfd	97
United States Realty	78 1-4
United States Rubber	43
United States Steel	85 1-8
United States Steel pfd	119 3-4
Utah Copper	46
Virginia Car. Chemical	58 1-8
Wabash	21 5-8
Wabash pfd	47
Western Maryland	50 1-8
Westinghouse Electric	66
Western Union	73
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4 7-8

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 5. Turpentine firm, rosin steady.

Savannah, Ga., April 5.—Turpentine firm 59 1-2; sales 85; receipts 334; shipments 170; stocks 8,149. Rosin firm; sales 290; receipts 1,506; shipments 410; stocks 83,963. Quote: A, B, C, 4.20; D, 4.40; E, 4.65; F, 4.87 1-2; H, 5.00; I, 5.25; K, 6.20; M, 6.70; N, 6.70; WG, 6.95; WW, 7.05.

Charleston, April 6.—Turpentine firm 60c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 4.20 to 425; D, 4.40; E, 4.62 1-2; F, 4.87 1-2; G, 4.90; H, 4.90; I, 4.95; K, 5.95; M, 6.45; , 6.70; WG, 6.95; WW, 7.05.

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Everett (Br.) 1,332 tons, Dower, Walter Smallbones, Agent.

Clematis (Brg.) 2,200 tons, Sytor, American Naval Stores Company.

Winnie (Br.) 1,583 tons, Shotten, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Mary L. Baxter, 836 tons, Dow, C. D. Maffitt.

Herbert D. Maxwell, 640 tons, Quillen, C. D. Maffitt.

Chas. D. Endicott, 751 tons, Johnson, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 5, 1910.

C. C. Railroad—33 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—135 bales cotton.

W. C. & A. Railroad—476 bales cotton, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—3 bales cotton, 30 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—8 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—1 barrel crude turpentine.

Str. Bee—4 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin.

Str. Leo—8 casks spirits turpentine, 52 barrels rosin, 28 barrels tar.

Total—614 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 76 barrels rosin, 91 barrels tar, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

The Demon of the Air

is the germ of La Grippe, that, breathed in, brings suffering to thousands. Its after effects are weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of stomach, liver and kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system and restore health and good spirits after an attack of grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

SENSATION IN LYNCHBURG.

Virginia City Breaks All Southern Records for Shipments.

Lynchburg, Va., April 4.—A report today states that Craddock-Terry Company have broken all records for selling shoes in this, the shoe town of the South. It is reported that these progressive manufacturers sold more than twenty carloads of shoes in one day this week. This represented approximately 75,000 pairs of shoes which sold for more than $150,000. If this average can be maintained for the year, it means a total business of $45,000,000, an average sale of 75,000 pairs of shoes a day, making a total of 20,000,000 pairs in a year, and 7,500 pairs an hour, or 150 pairs a minute.

This phenomenal increase in business is evidently attributable largely to the immense demand which has been created for the Craddock shoe, which is being widely advertised all over the South.

The South needs more of these aggressive manufacturers, who not only know how to produce a meritorious article, but who are not afraid to advertise it.

NOW AFTER POSTER GIRL.

Greensboro Has to Go Raleigh One Better.

(Charlotte Observer.)

Greensboro, April 4.—Sergeant of Police R. E. Pearce served a warrant on H. H. Tate, manager of the Grand Opera house, tonight, charging him with displaying obscene pictures in store windows.

The pictures complained of are lithographs portraying chorus girls in tights and short dresses and the indictment is a culmination of the protest made before the board of aldermen by the ministers' association several weeks ago.

The affair has caused considerable adverse comment here, it being the general opinion that there is nothing immoral or unusual about the advertising. The show is billed to appear here on the night of the Virginia-Carolina ball game and the action of tonight has so far resulted only in a determined effort of Manager Tate to arrange a matinee in competition with the ball game.

Must Carry Oil Samples.

News and Observer: Recently the Southern Express Company notified the State Department of Agriculture that the company would discontinue the carrying of oil samples for analysis at the Department of Agriculture on the ground that the oil was combustible and there were rules against it. The matter was laid before the Corporation Commission and an agreement was reached whereby the express company will transport the samples, but they must be in one pint packages and enclosed in metallic cases. In no instance permitting more than fifteen pints to be shipped in one case.

It Requires Nerve to stand the strain of nervous neuralgia, pains in the face, head or any part of the body. These pains are quickly stopped by the use of Perry Davis' Painkiller. The relief is immediate and lasting. Do not suffer a moment longer but use the Painkiller as directed. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Price 25c., 35c. and 50c.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, in a cause therein pending, wherein the City of Wilmington is plaintiff and James H. Davis, Edward Watters and John D. Bellamy are defendants, the undersigned commissioner will expose for sale at public auction, at the court house door in New Hanover County, on the 16th day of April, 1910, at 12 o'clock M., for cash, to the highest bidder, the following piece or parcel of land, lying and being in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the southern line of Hanover street at a point 123 3-4 feet west of the intersection of Hanover and 8th streets, runs thence westwardly with said southern line of Hanover street 41 1-4 feet, thence southwardly and parallel with 8th street, 66 feet, thence eastwardly and parallel with Hanover street 41 1-4 feet, thence northwardly and parallel with 8th street 66 feet to the beginning.

This the 16th day of March, 1910.

CAMERON F. MacRAE,
Commissioner.

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WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY?

Gives prompt and positive relief in every case. Sold by druggists, price $1.00. Trial package by mail 10 cents.

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props.
CLEVELAND, O.

Sold by R. R. Bellamy.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from New Hanover county, subject to the will of the Democratic party, to be expressed at the primary.

WOODUS KELLUM.

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Get in the Easter Parade.

Even if you don't wear the new Spring suit on Easter Day, it's a source of satisfaction to know that you have it and could wear it if you choose.

CHOOSE STEIN-BLOCH.

The Stein-Bloch Spring patterns are exclusive and unrivaled in beauty.

The Stein-Bloch tailors have been in the Stein-Bloch employ for many years. They have raised tailoring from a trade to a fine art. The Stein-Bloch style is the last word of the great style centers of the world.

These are reasons why Stein-Bloch Clothes fit and suit the individuality of the wearer.

Come to us and try on one for Easter.

A beautiful line of Boys' and Children's Suits.

Everything in hats and furnishing goods.

J. W. FLEET CO.

Phone 673. So. W. Corner Front and Princess Sts.

WOODBURY writes about His Famous HAIR TONIC

Extract from an article written by the Master Dermatologist when Woodbury's combination Hair and Scalp Treatment was first successfully prepared for Home Use.

If you don't see Woodbury's face on the label it's an imitation.

"The formula under which this Hair Tonic is made was tested and improved for over thirty-five years before a bottle was sold through the stores."

"For over thirty-five years this Tonic has been used in the enormous practice of John H. Woodbury's Dermatological Institute."

"Millions of cases were treated, and after their cure the patients continued the use of this Tonic as a delightful refreshment to the scalp and to keep the hair soft, rich and glossy."

"This necessarily meant repeated calls at the Woodbury Institute, often at the inconvenience of patients living at a distance."

"To supply this demand, and the growing call from those who had not been treated, for a Hair Tonic which was scientifically successful (not a mere commercial product) this Tonic has now been put on the market and can hereafter be had from all reputable dealers."

Now, right in your own home, you can use the preparations formerly supplied only to office patients of the Institute. No other preparations for the Hair and Scalp are backed up by the same unlimited experience. No others give such quick and such satisfactory results.

Woodbury's Hair Tonic saves the hair when all other preparations fail. It prevents dandruff; stops falling hair, and instantly relieves itching scalp. It restores the lustre to the hair; preserves it's natural color; increases its vitality and makes it beautiful and abundant.

Everyone Endorses Woodbury's

Hair Now Growing Nicely.

My hair stopped falling out just as soon as I used the Woodbury's Scalp Cream in conjunction with the Scalp Cleaner. It's action was just like magic. The thick greasy dandruff is all gone. My hair is growing nicely and taking on a new growth. Your Hair Tonic I use night and morning, and it is the nicest hair dressing I have ever used. Thanking you for the letters of advice, I remain,

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. JOHN F. HOWSON,
490 Quincy Street, Brooklyn.

This Specialist Uses Woodbury's

After ten years of careful study, and close observation of all conditions of the hair and scalp, I find the Woodbury method of treatment most successful of all. It is based on the most correct scientific principles. In cases of scalp disease the Woodbury preparations go right to the root of the trouble, and their curative and stimulating properties are remarkable. Am now using them exclusively in my offices and the results obtained are most satisfactory.

JAMES B. QUINN,
Hair and Scalp Specialist,
Monolah Building, New York City

Quick Results Pleased Him.

The dandruff and itching scalp were terrible and my hair was thinning out over the temples and at the back of my head at an alarming rate. Nothing seemed to help until I used the Woodbury remedies, but good results were then noticed from the start, and in a few days the dandruff was entirely gone and new hairs began to show. What pleased me most was that results were so quick. The Woodbury Hair and Scalp Remedies certainly make the hair grow.

Yours very truly,
FRANKLIN G. SCHWARZ,
14 Spruce Street,
Corona, L. I.

Three time-proved preparations in the combination treatment. All sizes-25c.-50c.$1.00. All druggists.

ROBERT R. BELLAMY, Distributor for Wilmington.

NOTICE OF RECEIVERS' SALE.

Pursuant to an order made by his honor, W. R. Allen, on the 28th day of February, 910, the undersigned receivers will sell or cash to the highest bidder, at public action, at the mill site of the Lewis Lumber Company, at Byrdsville, North Carolina, on Thursday the 13th day of April, 910, at 12 o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit:

One Saw Mill complete—Steam Feed.
Three Boilers.
Two Dry Kilns, capacity 25,000 per day.
One Planing Mill complete, including one American Surfacer and Matcher.
One Moulder and one Rip Saw.
One Horse and Cart.
One Locomotive and six log cars.
One Skidder and Loader combined.
4 1-4 Miles 25 lb. Steel Rail.
One Blacksmith's outfit complete.
100 Kiln Trucks.

This the 15th day of March, 1910.

H. L. LYON,
and
W. C. LEWIS,
Receivers.

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FOR SALE

12 million feet standing timber tributary to Lewis Lumber Co. Mill at Byrdsville, N. C. For terms and other particulars, address

J. D. BUSH or
R. B. RAYNER,
Arcade Bdilding,
Philadelphia, Pa.

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GAYLORD'S

SPRING HATS

Wash Skirts in all colors.

Linene Wash Suits, worth $5.00, for $3.50.

All kinds of children's Underwear.

The prettiest 3-strap Pumps ever seen for $1.50

Children's patent leather Belts, in all colors 5c

The neatest little "Go-Cart" ever put on the market for the price .. $1.75

$5.00 Automobile Linen Dusters for $3.50

SPECIAL for this week—$1.00 black Taffeta Silk for 85c

The Poke Bonnets we have for kids are beauties, and the price is small.

GEO. O.

GAYLORD'S

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

210, 212, 214 N. FRONT ST.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., April 6th, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Tuesday, April 5th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 64 degrees; 8 P. M. 68 degrees; maximum 79 degrees, minimum 62 degrees; mean 70

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the mon, .00 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday 3.3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Thunder showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair moderate to brisk southwest to west winds.

Port Calendar—April 6.

Sun Rises.....5:52 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:36 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 14 min.
High water at Southport 5:33 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 8:33 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. O. Carr—Mortgage Sale.
R. C. DeRosset—Baseball Goods.
Farley & Co.—Your Credit is Good.
Gas Company—No Stooping, No Bending.
St. John's Lodge, No. 1—Emergent Communication.

Business Locals.

For Rent—Four Rooms.
Wanted—Experienced Salesmen.
Wanted—Intelligent Colored Boy.
E. Snyder—Painter and Decorator.
Wayne Lumber Co.—Lumber Sawn to Order.
Machinery Exchange, Inc.—Locomotive Wanted.

MISSISSIPPI SCANDAL

Vardaman in on The Deal—Woman Gives Testimony.

Jackson, Miss., April 5.—That former Governor Vardaman knew of plans being formulated to entrap the bribe givers during the recent Senatorial contest and that the former governor himself suggested a plan, was testified to this afternoon before the State Senate, investigating the alleged tendering of a sum of money to State Senator Theodore Bilbo in exchange for his vote in caucus. J. Q. Poindexter, a Noxubee county planter and ardent supporter of the former governor, testified to this effect.

One other witness, Mrs. Roby Hall, wife of a Jackson Hotel proprietor, was heard this afternoon. Mrs. Hall told of her acquaintance with Senator Bilbo and L. C. Dulaney, who is charged with having paid the bribe money to Bilbo. She discussed the Senatorial contest with them, she testified, but always in a jocular manner. The probable purchase of votes was frequently mentioned, Mrs. Hall stated, but whether it was mentioned by either Bilbo or Dulaney of herself she always regarded it as joke. She knew nothing of any proposition between Dulaney and Bilbo. She introduced Representative Cowart to Dulaney, remarking as a jest, that they were on opposing sides of the political fence and ought to "get together."

"Well I can be induced to change my vote," she declares Cowart replied, "I am a long way from home and it takes money to buy whiskey."

Dulaney replied, according to the witness "Well I am broke myself, but I have a quart of whiskey in my room. If you go over I'll be glad to give you a drink."

Representative Cowart is credited with having testified that he was "approached."

Mrs. Hall admitted that she was acquainted with Mrs. C. L. Neil, mentioned as having, to a certain extent, engineered the alleged bribery, but she knew nothing of her alleged connection with the affair.

Poindexter said he first heard of the alleged bribery plans and a counter plan to ascertain whether the rumors were true at the Vardaman headquarters. The former Governor was in the room at the time, according to Poindexter and remarked. "Well, we have had a proposition made to us," and then then proceeded to outline a plan of procedure. Bilbo entered the room at this juncture, the witness testified, and remarked that "she" had made a proposition and was awaiting his answer. He suggested that the Vardaman adherents acted slowly. It was decided that Bilbo have the woman wait until the next day. Bilbo departed, returning a few moments later and announcing that she would wait.

Representative Doherty, of Tunica county, not absent from Jackson was present at this conference, Poindexter explained.

JEFFRIES IN TRAINING.

Pleased With His Headquarters at Ben Lamond—Arrival.

Ben Lomond, Cal., April 5.—James J. Jeffries began preliminary training today for his fight with Jack Johnson, but it will be a week or more before he settles down to hard work. The fighter was accompanied to his training quarters from Oakland today by his wife, his two nephews, Sam Berger, wrestler Farmer Burns and a number of other men.

Jeffries expressed himself as greatly pleased with the place where he will work from now until a day or two before the fight. After looking at the cottage and the gymnasium that have been fitted up for him and after trying out the new handball court, Jeffries and his nephews and others engaged in a brisk game of baseball.

WADESBORO VOTES BONDS.

System of Street Improvements Will be Inaugurated There.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wadesboro, N. C., April 5.—The election held today on the question of issuing bonds for street improvements awakened much interest and yet the vote polled was very light. The election resulted in favor of the bonds, 180 votes being cast for the bonds and 44 against.

Saved From the Grave.

"I had about given up hope, after nearly four years of suffering from a severe lung trouble," writes Mrs. M. L. Dix, of Clarkville, Tenn. "Often the pain in my chest would be almost unbearable and I could not do any work, but Dr. King's New Discovery has made me feel like a new person. Its the best medicine made for the throat and lungs." Obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hay fever, la grippe, asthma, croup, bronchitis and hemorrhages, hoarseness and whooping cough, yield quickly to this wonderful medicine. Try it. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

TO NAME BIG BRIBE TAKERS.

Prosecutor Promises Sensations in Graft Scandal Today.

Pittsburg, April 5.—The promise of District Attorney William A. Blakley that the grand jury's presentment naming men "higher up" in the graft scandal would come this afternoon was not made good, but the county prosecutor tonight said it seemed a "dead certainty" that this much awaited stage in the graft probe would be reached tomorrow.

Despite this disappointment, the day was not without its new sensations. A wholly new stench in fact was uncovered this afternoon by the plea of Charles W. Friend, vice president of the Clinton Iron and Steel Company, that he had no defense to make of the charges against him. Friend, who is a son of the late J. W. Friend, of the Pressed Steel Car Company, had been indicted for the payment of $500 to former councilman Charles Stewart.

In admitting the payment of this money to Stewart, Friend explained that a bridge ordinance favorable to his company had been brought up in councils and killed. He and his father, however, were still anxious to see the bill passed and "in order to stop any newspaper talk" about the resurrection of the bill had at Stewart's suggestion, he said, paid $500. The purpose of the money was not, according to Friend, a bribe to councilmen, but to newspaper men. Instead the money was given to councilmen.

Stewart's version of the affair was wholly contrary. He claimed the money was paid by Friend to influence the passage of ordinances naming the Second National and Farmers Deposit National banks as city depositories. Friend was recently a director of each of these banks.

Stewart thought the amount Friend paid was $800. Friend would not admit that he paid any money to influence the bank legislation.

There was another victory for the prosecuting officers today in the confession of Morris Einstein, a select councilman, who was charged with receiving $20,000 from the Workingman's Savings Bank and Trust Company, of Allegheny, for distribution as bribes.

"It is all off. I've pleaded guilty and resigned from council," said Einstein as he left the court house. Einstein is the last, it is said, of the "big fellows" on the councilmanic side of the grafting and his testimony before the grand jury today is said to complete the display of evidence obtained by the confessions of Brand, Wasson, Ferguson and Klein and Stewart, on which the indictment of the big bribe givers is expected.

STATUS OF THE NEGRO.

Phase of Peonage Under Agricultural Contracts Argued.

Washington, April 5.—Protesting against what he terms an attempt in some Southern States again to reduce the negro to captivity, Charles G. Bonaparte, former attorney general of the United States, today filed a brief in the Supreme Court of the United States in behalf of "Pink" Franklin, a South Carolina negro, under sentence to be hanged on a charge of murder. The negro's appeal to the Supreme Court will be argued orally in about two weeks. It promises to bring to the fore the question of the status of "agricultural contracts" to which objection has been raised.

The negro was under an "agricultural contract" to work for J. D. Thomas, in Orangeburg county, S. C., in 1907. He quit before the contract obligation was completed. A statute had been passed in South Carolina making it a misdemeanor for a laborer to break such a contract if he had become indebted to his employer. On the ground that Franklin had violated the statute of the State, a warrant was sworn out for his arrest. The constable, H. E. Valentine, in attempting to arrest the negro, went to the latter's house, entered, and was killed. Franklin was convicted of the murder.

Mr. Bonaparte's brief attempts to show that the negro had a right to resist arrest and protect himself, his family and his domicile, because the statute on which the warrant was based has been held to be obnoxious to the State constitution, violates the Federal constitution, and that any attempts to enforce its provisions by the arrest of a person in the situation of Franklin, constituted a crime against the United States under the laws forbidding peonage.

CRIME LAID ON CLERK

Alleged to Have Killed Miss Blackstone at Springfield, Mass.

Springfield, Mass., April 5.—The wanton murder last Thursday evening of Miss Martha B. Blackstone by a masked burglar at the residence of Mrs. Sarah J. Dow today was formally charged against Betram G. Spencer, a clerk, aged 28 years, who was arrested earlier in the day.

Spencer was identified by Mrs. Dow and Miss Lucy Dow, mother and sister respectively of Miss Harriett P. Dow, who were seriously wounded by robber's bullets. Later, according to the police, several other persons identified Spencer as the man responsible for a local reign of terror a year ago when homes were broken into and robbed by a burglar who adopted some of the methods of "Raffles."

A search of Spencer's home after his arrest resulted in the finding of two black silk masks, several loaded revolvers and a small amount of miscellaneous articles, including jewelry. Mrs. Dow and her daughter picked out from this alleged loot a peculiar green Indian head belt and a pearl brooch which they said were taken by the man who entered their home on Round Hill on Thursday evening.

WETS GAIN IN ILLINOIS.

Early Returns Indicated That Prohibition Wase Being Defeated.

Chicago, April 5.—Early returns from local option elections held throughout Illinois today show gains for the wets. Several small cities changed from dry to wet, while few if any towns changed from wet to dry. Out of 55 cities, towns and townships reported 28 voted dry, 26 wet and one was a tie.

Chicago, April 5.—Incomplete returns tonight on the local option election held in 240 cities and towns throughout Illinois today, showed gains for the "wets." These figures show that 32 towns changed from "dry" to "wet" and 13 changed from "wet" to "dry". Of 93 towns 48 voted "wet."

PERU AND ECUADOR.

Toy Republics About to Engage in Another War.

Lima, Peru, April 5.—The forces of Peru are under arms awaiting eventualities with Ecuador. Admiral Villavicencio has been placed in command of the fleet and Col. Alvarez put at the head of all the land forces in the department of Lambayeque. The full fighting strength is preparing to advance at a moment's notice.

The government has formed a naval division consisting of the cruisers Almirante Grau, Lima and the Coronel Bolognesi.

The excitement and indignation caused here by the attacks upon the Peruvian legation at Quito and upon this country's consulate at Guayaquil when Peruvians were assaulted, their property destroyed and the colors of their republic dragged in the dust, continues. Peru is aflame with patriotism and ready for war.

The Central University has called a great popular mass meeting. All are awaiting events.

A cabinet council was held occupying four hours and it was said that negotiations with Chile have been initiated, with the probability that a satisfactory agreement would be reached upon the question of the disrupted territory of Tacna and Arica.

It is rumored tonight that warships will proceed at once to the river Guayas.

Guayaquil, April 5.—Following a night of anti-Peruvian rioting, Senor Palacios, the Peruvian consul, sought an asylum at the American consulate today. President Alfaro has received a telegram from Gen. Bustamente of the Colombian army, offering 5,000 troops from Colombia to assist Ecuador in the event of hostilities with Peru.

In the face of the popular excitement and rioting it is officially announced today that Ecuador and Peru propose to settle their boundary dispute directly at Washington. Ecuador's special envoy is Clemente Ponce and he will proceed to the American capital.

Calm was re established this morning. During Monday groups carrying Colombian and Chilean flags paraded the streets crying "Long live Colombia and Chile."

In the afternoon a mob of 1,000 persons seized four ferryboats on the river Guayas with the intention of using them in the capture of the new Peruvian steamer Huallaga. Approaching the steamer those on the ferryboats began to discharge their revolvers whereupon the Huallaga pulled in her anchor and sailed out to sea.

Throughout last night crowds paraded the streets firing small arms. It is assured that the relations between Colombia and Peru are strained and war at an early date is believed probable.

WORKING ON NEW RAILROAD.

Construction of North and South Carolina Progressing Well.

Mullins, S. C., April 4.—Construction work on the North and South Carolina Railroad is progressing well. The road has been graded to a point just outside the corporate limits and it is thought that trains will be operated on the line within 60 days. While one force is engaged on the road bed, there is another following closely in their wake with the rails and the work is being rushed with all possible speed. It is a lovely piece of roadbed and is admired by all who see it. The line is practically straight from Dillon on to Mullins a distance of 18 miles. Owing to an abundant supply of good clay close at hand work has progressed nicely and the several fills will be as solid as the bed through the hills. This road will give a direct line to the North and afford connections with the Seaboard in other directions.

SHERIFF AMAN AT HOME.

Pardoned Sampson Man at Home—Maynor's Slayer Arrested.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., April 5.—The pardon of ex-Sheriff Aman, of this county, by Gov. Kitchin meets with public approval here. Aman arrived home today and was welcomed by a number of friends. His wife, a most estimable lady, and two children live here and their reunion was affecting. The downfall of Sheriff Aman was due to gambling in cotton futures and he did not personally profit by his defalcation.

Hosea Maynor, who slew his neighbor, Mahero Denning, with an axe in the northern part of the county a few nights ago in a difficulty over the closing of a cart road, was captured in Smithfield yesterday. Deputy Sheriff Tart went for him and brought him here tonight and lodged him in the county jail to await trial at May court.

DRAKE LOSES HIS TITLE.

Asheville Wrestler is No Longer the Southern Champion.

Charlotte, N. C., April 5.—John Drake, of Asheville, lost his title of Southern champion wrestler tonight at the auditorium when Walt Evans, of Knoxville, Tenn., bested him two out of three falls. Evans won the first fall in 17 minutes and Drake the second in 11. In the decisive round Evans succeeded in getting Drake's leg in a vise-like grip under his knee and punished the Asheville man for 15 minutes until he surrendered and called on the referee to declare the fall.

The match was the cleanest and most scientific exhibition witnessed on the local mat. Evans has challenged the winner of the Turner-Lynch bout here Friday night.

NINE KILLED, 20 INJURED.

Fatal Jam in Crowd Leaving Mexican Bull Fight.

Mexico City, April 5.—A special from Zacatecas says that nine persons were killed and 20 others injured, three fatally, during a panic in a crowd that was leaving the scene of a bull fight there on Sunday. A great crowd jammed the exits and stairways of the bull ring. A woman carrying a child fell and created confusion, which quickly developed into a terrible panic. Many were trampled upon, and the crowd became a swaving, fighting mass. Twelve of the injured were taken to a hospital and three of these are not expected to live. The governor ordered that the receipts of the ring be devoted to those dependent on the victims.

GIVE STATUE TO FRANCE.

Virginians Will Present Bronze Statue of Washington.

Richmond, Va., April 5.—State Senators Halsey, of Lynchburg, and King, of Clifton Forge, and Colonel James Mann, who were appointed by the Governor as a committee to present a copy of the Houdon statue of Washington to France, returned to Richmond from the National capital today and held a long conference with the Governor. They reported to the chief executive that plans for the presentation of the $4,000 replica of the famous statue were rapidly shaping themselves and everything would be ready by the appointed time. The replica is to be made of bronze, and cast in a mould of the original statue made many years ago when another copy was placed in statuary hall in the capitol at Washington. The statue will be completed about August 1

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

SALESMAN—Experienced acquainted with jobbers and large department stores to carry hosiery, underwear and sweater coats on commission. Rubin Brothers & Co., 332 Market street, Philadelphia, Pa. apr 6 2t*

WANTED—Intelligent colored boy of good moral character to make himself generally useful around building. Apply today, Star office between 9 and 10 o'clock. ap 6 1t

FOR RENT—At 104 Church street, four rooms, first floor, bath and pantry. Apply 122 Market street. Phone 148. ap 6 1t*

E. SNYDER—House Painter and Decorator. Estimates free anywhere. Telephone 880. ap 6 1w*

WANTED—Standard gauge, wood burning, logging locomotive in first class condition. Machinery Exchange, Inc., Fayetteville, N. C. ap 6 we sa su 3t

WANTED—Poplar, cypress and ash lumber sawn to order; can use any quantity; inspection made at mill. Wayne Lumber Co., John S. Mitchell, 212 Red Cross street. ap 6 to 30*

FOR RENT—Three rooms subject to bath, gas stove furnished, 216 South Second street, Wilmington, N. C. ap 5 6t

THE HANOVER DRUG CO., has moved from 914 North Fourth street to the Southwest corner of Seventh and Castle streets. Phone 206. "Come to see us." ap 5 6t.

WANTED—10 ladies to learn to make overalls. G. B. Pendleton, Supt. Marion, S. C. ap 3 1w

WANTED—At once two first-class millwrights. Apply to Rowland Lumber Co., Bowden, N. C. ap 3 1w

WANTED—Steam propeller. About 175 feet, with wood beam. Give full particulars, with lowest price. Address "Captain" Room 18, No. 115 Broadway, New York. ap 3 eod 12 t*

TAILORING—A large line of fashionable Spring and Summer suitings and trouserings on exhibition at Leger Meyer's. Merchant Tailoring at modest prices. Smith Building, second floor. ma 16 1m.

SPLENDID MERCANTILE location for sale. Ask us about it. Smith & Lord, 120 Princess street, Insurance and Real Estate. 'Phone 706. ma 20 tf

BIG MERCANTILE real estate opportunity. We have it, located near Front street, size over 100x120, spur track to it. The demolition of buildings to make room for the new custom house will create demand for mercantile property and demand causes advance in prices. Prices of property at recent sales show what financial thinkers believe of our future growth. Smith & Lord, 120 Princess street. 'Phone 706. ma 20 tf

FOR SALE—The best line of trunks and leather goods in the city. Our prices can't be beat, call at Uncle, Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. Just a whisher rom Front street. fe 8 tf

THAT PRETTY WIFE of yours Will Never be happy 'till you give her a pretty home. We can offer you the Holloway place, N. W. corner 15th and Market street. It is a pretty place inside and out and is on a splendid lot. Call early as we want to make a quick sale as owner will soon leave the city. Smith & Lord, Agents, 120 Princess street. 'Phone 706. ma 27 tf

SPRING IS HERE—Have your last year's suit, French dry cleaned by Coster, the Cleanser, 122 Market street, 'phone 148. ma 25 2w

ANY INTELLIGENT person may earn a good steady income corresponding for newspapers. We suggest subjects. No experience required. Address Press Correspondence Bureau, Washington, D. C. ma 31 16t*

SUPPOSE YOU CALL to see our supply of fresh vegetables, we have string beans, egg plants, cucumbers, new onions, carrots, lettuce, tomatoes, asparagus, new potatoes, new beets, celery, Cape Cod cranberries and fancy fruits, beef, veal, Spring lamb or 'phone us No. 72. Palace Market. ap 2 tf

AN IDEAL HOME FOR SALE—We have one on North side of Market street with lot 78x165 feet. House contains over seven rooms; has modern conveniences, including shower bath; deep well with force pump and is one of the prettiest, and most convenient dwellings in this City. Servants house on lot—Satisfactory reason for selling. Smith & Lord, Agents, 120 Princess street, 'phone 706. Note that location is on North side of street. ma 24 tf

SULTANA OLIVE OIL—Mr. Vadadi, the Sultana agent here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle. Pints 50c. Quarts $1.00. Phone orders filled promptly. no 4 tf

BREAD, PIES, CAKE—The largest bread shipper in the State. Special attention to out-of-town orders. My bread is "Inferior to none, superior to most." Farris' Bakery, 109 South Front street. P. O. Box 489. ma 30 1m.

FAIR VIEW PARK—Located in the outhern part of Wilmington. Absolutely the highest part of Wilmington. Lots 33 by 132 and 33 by 150. Prices from $100.00 to $150.00. This is the chance for the poor man to own his own home. All you have to pay down is $10.00 and $5.00 per month till the balance is paid. No interest or taxes. Ten per cent off for cash. Every lot is high and dry. Not a single lot is low or swampy. Four lots sold before the property was advertised. Fair View Realty Company, James Owen Reilly, Agent. ma 22 tf

FOR SALE—2,000 bags of rice, all grades; 200 bushels of field peas. S. Bear, Sr., & Sons. ma 22 tf

WANTED—All the Panama, straw and felt hats in North Carolina to be cleaned and re-shaped like new by the American Practical Hatter 128 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. 'Phone 1169. ma 30 1m*

CHARLES T. HARPER, M. D.—Practice limited to Genito-Urinary and Rectal diseases. Office 507-508 Southern Building, Wilmington, N. C. Phone 1160. ja 11 3m

WANTED TO BUY residence in desirable location, six rooms exclusive of kitchen, pantry and bath, water and sewerage, good size lot. Single story preferred. Address giving price, size of lot ocation and other particulars. "Homeseeker" care of Morning Star. ma 8 tf

TRY OUR REGULAR LUNCH from 12 M. to 3 P. M. daily, 25c; prompt service, everything in season; best drip coffee in the city. The Junction Restaurant, corner Front and Princess. Open night and day. fe 5 tf

FINE PHOTOGRAPHS—Life-like enargements, new pictures made from old ones by a special process. U. C. Ellis Studio. fe 23-tf.

TO MY FRIENDS—If you have any raw furs and hides, let me figure with you before you sell. It will be to your advantage. Ship me your produce. C. D. Gilbert, 212 Market street. ma 20 tf

KEEP YOUR EYE on our show case. The display will be changed frequently. Every time we change it will be better. The Gem Grocery, Foltz & Kendrick, 114 Market street. ma 27 tf.

LADIES WHO

WEAR Large Hats

so stylish this season will delight in our showing of Hat Pins.

They're Fancy Hat Pins,—an ornament to any hat—and long enough to hold the large hats securely on the head.

Do you need thiskind?

A. O. SCHUSTER
JEWELER
104 North Front Street.
ap 3 tf

A Big Card:
Baby Esmonds
Crystal Palace
ap 6 tf

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent Communication this (Wednesday) evening at 8:15 o'clock, for the purpose of conferring the Sublime degree of MASTER MASON. V. Past Master, W. E. torm. All affiliated Masons are cordially invited o meet with us. By order of the W. M.

A. S. HOLDEN, Secretary.
ap 6 1t.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primaries to be held in New Hanover county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

JOHN A. EVERITT, JR.
mar 3-1m.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the judgment of the Superior Court of New Hanover County rendered at the January Term, 1910, of said court, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington on the 2nd day of May, 1910, at 12 o'clock M. the following described lot of land, situated in New Hanover County and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a Cypress at the run of a small branch (about 110 yards eastwardly from his home) and running thence north 10 chains and 13 links to a stake, John W. Murray's and R. S. Murray's corner; thence north 85 east 13 chains and 90 links to a stake; thence south 31 east 38 chains to a bunch of white bay trees at the run of Smith's Creek; thence down and with the run of Smith's Creek about 37 chains to the mouth of the said branch; thence up and with the run of said Branch to the first station; containing 72 acres, more or less.

Terms of sale cash.

This 2nd day of April, 1910.

J. O. CARR, Commissioner.
ap 6 13 20 27.

A HEART-TO-HEART TALK. Blood is the life of man. If your system has too much uric acid, your blood becomes poisoned and you are sure to have rheumatism. By removing the cause Rheumacide, compounded in liquid and tablet form, cures the worst cases of rheumatism. Rheumacide is a specific for contagious blood poison. Begin in time. At druggists. Tablets by mail, 25c. Bobbitt Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.
For Sale by R. R. Bellamy.

W. C. GALLOWAY, M. D.
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Rooms 407 and 408
Southern Building
Apr. 3-2w.

Blue prints of all kinds are made by Southern Map Co., phone 813, So. Bldg.

Seasonable Goods

11,000 Pounds Paris Green.
5,000 Cotton Sheets.
3,500 Pounds Tobacco Twine.
437 Bushels Field Peas.
93 Cases Sticky Fly Paper.
77 Barrels Black Strap Molasses.
96 Barrels Fancy Molasses.
29 Barrels Pecan Molasses.
71 Barrels Fancy Fonce Molasses.
88 Barrels Mott's Vinegar.
53 Cases Tong Lee Tea.
67 Barrels Stick Candy.

W. B. Cooper
Importer and Jobber.
Wilmington, N. C.
ma 29 tf

American National Bank
Wilmington, N. C.

A Good Bank to Do Business With

Thos. E. Cooper, Cashier.
W. H. Smith, Assistant Cashier.
E. Fred Banck, Teller.
ap 5 tf

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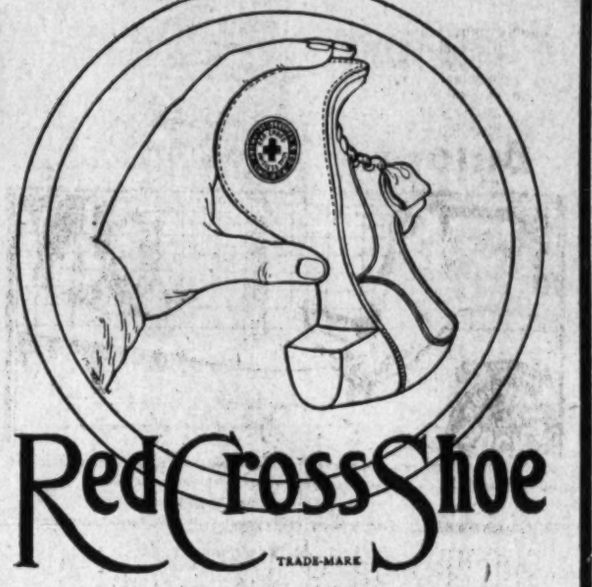

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TRADE-MARK

You get both style and comfort. Any style or leather. Width A to E. At

Peterson & Rulfs,
Next to Murchison Bank.
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THE
French Millinery Parlors.

Are showing exclusive and up-to-date Millinery, consisting of a new line of Automobile and Tourist Bonnets, also a beautiful line of Pattern Hats to select from. We invite your inspection. Elevator service, 3rd floor A. D. Brown's,

THE FRENCH MILLINERY PARLORS.
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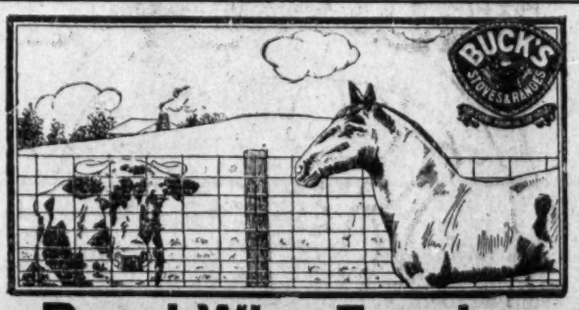

Royal Wire Fencing

We are now receiving our third car load of this celebrated fencing. The manufacturers in notifying us of the shipment write as follows:

"This makes your third car this year and we wish to extend our compliments on the good results you are getting, which speaks most highly for your aggressive and up-to-date selling methods. We hope your Fence trade this year will be double what it was in 1909 and if you keep up at the rate you have started you will surely meet that amount at least."

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.
Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.

BASE BALL GOODS

We have a full line of Spalding's Mitts Gloves, Body Protectors, Bats and Balls, which we sell at catalogue prices. Write for catalogue.

Robert C. DeRosset
Bookseller & Stationer.
ap 6 tf

SULPHUR---HANCOCK SULPHUR COMPOUND

LIQUID, LARGE, $1.00. SMALL, 50c. Effective for Eczema, Itch, Ringworm, Poison Oak, Insect Stings, etc. All Skin Eruptions, and Scalp Ailments. You need not go to the Sulphur Springs; this gives you a perfect Sulphur Bath and invigorating Tonic Drink.

TABLETS For Bottle (80 tablets) 50c. Results are surprising, for URIC ACID Corrective, Purifying the Blood, Tonic for Stomach, and in the treatment and prevention of INDIGESTION, Dyspepsia, Lumbago, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Gout, Nephritic Colic, Stone in the Kidney and Bladder, and most Kidney, Liver and Stomach Ailments.

OINTMENT. LARGE JAR, 50c. SMALL 25c. A MAGIC WONDER for Hemorrhoids, Piles, Sores, Swellings, Inflamed or Chafed Parts, Burns, Bruises, Sprains, etc. Splendid for the Complexion; keeps the skin soft and removes Pimples, Blemishes, Blackheads, etc. Try it. For Sale by Druggists, Manf'd by HANCOCK LIQUID SULPHUR CO., Baltimore, Md.
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